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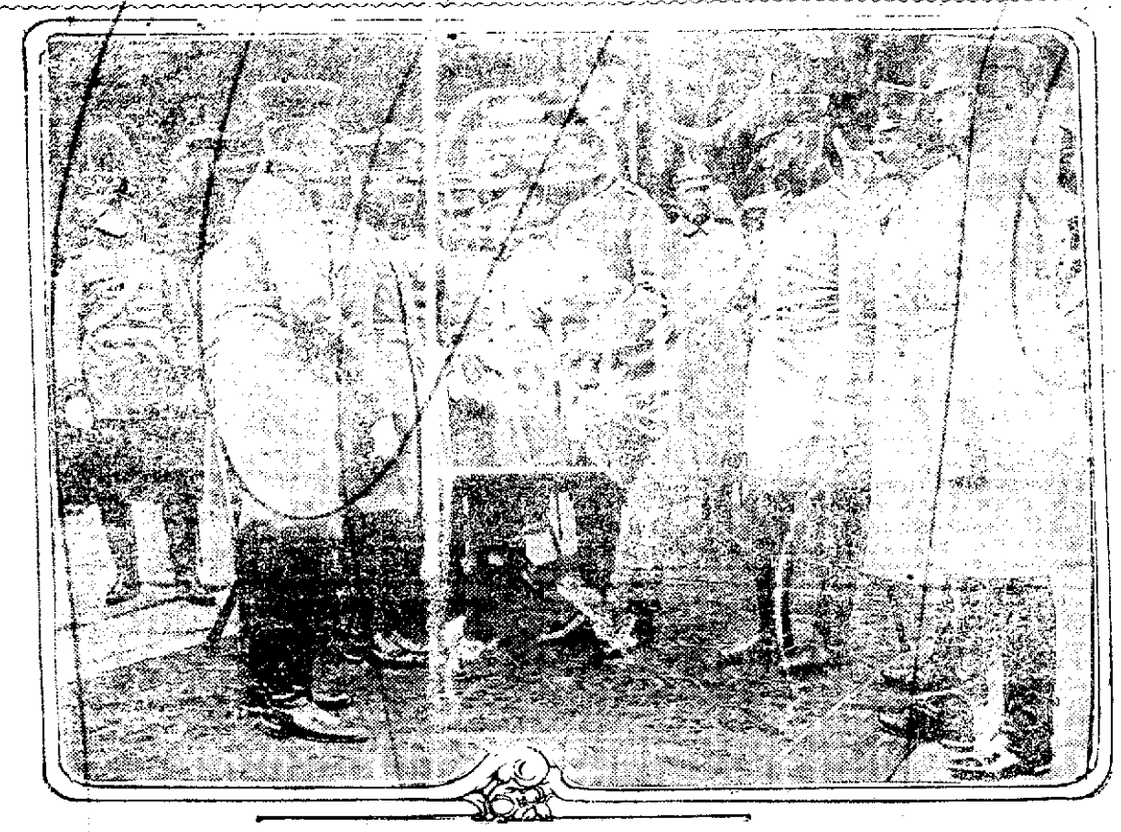
LIEGE ATTACK BY GERMANS CONTINUES



GERMAN INFANTRY AND ARTILLERY AND CROWN PRINCE WHO LEADS THEM.

German artillery on heavy road (above). Infantry crossing pontoon bridge, and Crown Prince Frederick Wilhelm.

The crown prince and his 100,000 men have joined General Emmich in the attack on Liege, Belgium, and the combined forces are having a desperate struggle in which the Germans are said to lost 10,000 men and have not inflicted much damage on their opponents.

FIERCE ASSAULT ON BELGIAN CITY RENEWED BY ARTILLERY TODAY

The Assaults is Doing Great Damage, But at Feraful to the Germans

BRANDENBERG REGIMENT MOWED DOWN

None of the Forts in Liege Have Been Captured. But Their Shells Have Killed a Considerable Number, Among the Dead Being Many Non-Combatants—War Ministry of Belgium States That the Germans Have Lost 15,000 Since They Began the Attack on Liege—The Belgians Have Taken 500 Prisoners—Belgian Losses Have Been Less Than Those of the Assailants.

(By International News Service.)

Liege, Aug. 8.—The German forces this morning renewed their desperate attack upon the city of Liege, during the prevalence of a heavy storm.

Brandenberg Guards Mowed Down

Brussels, Aug. 8.—The Brandenberg Guards, one of the finest German regiments, was mowed down while attacking Fort Barchon and then blown up by a mine.

Fifteen hundred of the Guards are reported to have been killed or injured.

Germans Lost 15,000.

The war ministry issued a statement today that the Germans lost 15,000 killed and wounded in the assault of Liege. The Belgian losses were much smaller. The Belgians took 500 prisoners.

The report sent out yesterday that the Germans had asked an armistice of twenty-four hours is denied here.

Both Armies Bury Their Dead.

Both armies suspended hostilities two hours last evening and gathered their wounded.

The Germans did not capture any of the forts, but the sheils from their artillery did great damage, many non-combatants being among the killed.

The conflict continues today.

German Losses Are Fearful.

The storm has delayed the crown prince with reinforcements for the German troops.

The battle at Liege continues intermittently, extending to the entire chain of forts. The German assault is not slackened, but their losses are fearful.

Report of Thursday's Fight.

Brussels, via London, Aug. 8.—The Germans before Liege on Friday requested a twenty-four hours' armistice, according to an announcement made by the Belgian ministry of war yesterday evening. At the ministry it was stated that the Germans admitted their casualties numbered 25,000.

It is assumed the Germans asked for an armistice in order to pick up their dead and wounded.

The Belgian general staff thus far has not yet acted on the request. It is deliberating whether the plea is made in good faith or whether it is an attempt of the invaders to delay the fighting until reinforcements, now on the way, headed by the crown prince reach Liege.

Mowed Down Enmasse.

All reports of the fighting at Liege agree that the German infantry advanced in masses, holding to absolutely close order. This resulted in heavy casualties.

Earlier in the day it was reported the attack on Liege had been abandoned, and that the Germans retired to the left of the River Meuse. It is believed this was followed by the request for armistice.

Praise Belgian Courage.

German prisoners, whom a correspondent questioned, acknowledged

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$2,606,000,000 OF ROADS IN 1913

States Have Been Liberal in Highway Expenditures

PENNSYLVANIA STANDS SECOND

This State Expended $1,606,000 in Construction, Maintenance and Salaries Last Year—Automobiles Contributed Nearly $8,000,000 to Road Building in the Several States.

The total state expenditures for roads during the year 1913, the amount of state aided roads complete in that year, and the total mileage of improved and unimproved roads, have been tabulated by the United States department of agriculture.

The local cash road and bridge expenditures on the part of counties, districts and townships have not yet been compiled for 1913. The figures for 1912 are given, however, and it is estimated that they are 10 per cent lower than those for the year 1913. The table shows that in 1913 there was a total expenditure of state funds for roads of approximately $98,750,000. The local road expenditures, if a 10 per cent increase over 1912 is correct, would amount to $151,265,000. In addition, there must be counted approximately $15,000,000 the value of statute labor in working out the road tax. It makes a total outlay for roads in 1913 of about $266,000,000.

In 1904 the total expenditures for roads aggregated a little less than $80,000,000, so that the present an-

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Italy Hasn't Made War Declaration

(By International News Service.)

London, Aug. 8.—Marquis Imperial, of Italy, Ambassador to England, today authorized the International News Service to make absolute denial of the statement purporting to have been sent out of London saying he announced that Italy had declared war on Germany.

German Americans Protest.

(By International News Service)

Washington, Aug. 8.—The German-American chamber of commerce of New York protests against the United States censoring the German wireless station at Sayville, Long Island, whilst French and English cables are operating unrestricted.

Marriage Licenses.

Harry Friedman nd Anna Cohen, both of Coalpert.

Samuel C. Beer, of DuBois, and Ethel I. Durnik, of Punxsutawney.

PROGRESS KEEPS THE PUBLIC INFORMED ON EUROPEAN WAR

The Clearfield correspondent of the week, says:

Madera Hustler, in his letter this

The Progress, one of Clearfield's daily papers, is keeping the public informed by telegraphic dispatches of the European situation, which makes their office the scene of great activity, as crowds are constantly there to get the news.

FRENCH WIN BIG VICTORY OVER GERMAN INVADERS

Two Armies Fight Terrific Battle in Luxemburg Territory, in which German Troops Suffered Heavily at the Hands of the French

BRUSSELS WAR OFFICE CONFIRMS REPORT

The Two Armies Met in a Clash in Luxemburg, While the French Troops Were Believed to be on their Way to the Relief of the Besieged City of Liege—French Said to Have Captured Many Prisoners—Brussels War Office Confirms the News and Says French Victory Was Complete.

(By International News Service.)

Brussels, Aug. 8.—It is reported here that the German and French armies began a terriffic battle today in both Belgian and Luxemburg territory.

The French troops are supposed to be those on their way to relieve the Belgians at Liege.

Report of French Victory.

London, Aug. 8.—The Daily Mail correspondent sent a dispatch from Brussels this morning, stating that in the fight in Luxemburg the French troops won a big victory over the Germans.

Report is Confirmed.

Brussels, Aug. 8.—The war office confirms the announcement of the defeat of the Bavarian army by the French north of Luxemburg.

The French victory is said to have been decisive. Many Germans were taken prisoners.

A. L. COLE SENDS WORD THAT HE'S NOT SERIOUSLY ILL

Word was received from Denver, Colorado, on Wednesday that A. L. Cole, Esq., was seriously ill at that city. Mrs. Cole left on Thursday to join her husband, and during her absence a telegram was received from Mr. Cole himself, to the effect that the report of his serious illness had been exaggerated, as he was not sick at all. Mrs. Cole did not learn of this telegram and is on her way to Denver, where she will join her husband in his health-seeking visit.

Telegraphic Weather Report.

(By International News Service)

Fair tonight and Sunday; fair in south, unsettled in north portion.

Japanese Prepare to Enter War

(By International News Service.)

Tokio, Aug. 8—The reserve army officers have been instructed to hold themselves in readiness for posible mobilization.

A flying squadron of seven cruisers has been organized at Yokosuka. Prince Fushimi is in command. The battleship squadron has been increased to eight vessels and is ready for service. Admiral Kato is in command.

Fortifications at Vladivostok, Asiatic Russia, and at Saigon, the French posession in China, have been strengthened to meet a possible bombardment of German warship.

An authentic report received here states that the German squadron has been bottled up at Tsing-Tau by the British.

AUSTRIAN SHELLS CONTINUE TO FALL

Bombardment of Belgrade Has Been a Daily Event

REPORTS OF AUSTRIAN ROUT

Servians Said to Have Silenced Battery and Forced Austrian Retreat—Bulgarians are Joining the Austrians and Fighting Against the Serbs.

Belgrade, Aug. 5 (Delayed in transmission)—Bombardment of Belgrade by the Austrians, which began without notice on July 29, has continued almost steadily since. The capital was crowded with women and children when the Austrian artillery opened fire and there was a rush for the country, but the people were obliged to return because of the concentration of food supplies here.

In the first few days of the fighting the people were terror-stricken, but gradually they became calmer and the merchants reopened their shops.

The royal palace, the British and German legations and most of the larger buildings of the city have been struck by shells. The legations and consulate are filled with frightened nationals, who had gathered at the

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SHERIFF McCLOSKEY ADDS SEVERAL TO JAIL FAMILY

Since Tuesday of this week the following alleged offenders against the laws of the commonwealth have joined the family of Sheriff McCloskey at thec ounty jail:

Paul Resch, aged 16, charged with burglary at Chester Hill.

Dominic Kogloskey, aged 20, of Madera, charged with statutory rape on a little girl.

Joe Shubert, Jr., aged 15, of LaJose, charged with larceny and threats.

There are a half dezen juvenile prisoners at the County home, the sheriff being unable to accommodate them in the county prison.

Funeral of Mrs. Wilson Will be Held Monday

(By International News Service.)

Washington, Aug. 8.—The funeral of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson will be held Monday at 2 o'clock in the East room of the White House. This arrangement depends upon the arrival of Prof. Stockton Axson, brother of the deceased.

Rev. Sylvester Beach, of Princeton, will likely officiate, assisted by Rev. ames P. Taylor, the president's pastor, Central Presbyterian church Washington.

The cabinet will probably be honorary pall bearers. Afterward the journey begins to Rome, Ga., for the final rites on Tuesday. The party will return to Washington Wednesday night.

Persistent Report of a North Sea Naval Fight

(By International News Service)

London, Aug. 8.—The Daily Mail published a dispatch today from Holland, stating that 19 German warships were sunk in the North sea battle with the British fleet.

That the British and German fleets have clashed in the North sea is the report coming from many sources, despite denials of an engagement at the British admiralty. Some of these reports insist that England has won a "glorious victory." There is absolutely no way at present of verifying the reports. That there has at least been action, is admitted at the admiralty which yesterday declared that English shipping is now safe, as the German ships have been driven toward the Netherlands. The fact that the Germans are said to have fled toward home waters is accepted everywhere as meaning that England's power on the sea is supreme.

Heavy Firing Was Heard.

From the coast cities as far north as the upper Scotch border reports of heavy firing at sea are arriving. This firing is said to be stronger than yesterday, indicating that, while yesterday the fighting was confined to lightly armed vessels, the heavy craft were today taking part in it.

Trawles arriving at Whitby reported that they had seen destroyers in action. One ship owner said that he knew that 10 German craft had been sunk by the guns of the British war fleet. He refused to indicate the source of his information.

Answering a volley from inquirers in parliament today, Home Secretary McKenna stated that there is no foundation for the reports of a naval battle off Holland.

This May Explain Denial.

There is a mutual agreement among all the London papers to observe silence as to the movements of the English army and navy.

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The Adventures of Kathlyn

By HAROLD MAC GRATH

Illustrated by Pictures from the Moving Picture Production of the Selig Polyscope Co.

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Umballa entered at once his secret chamber, and food and water were brought, one of the women acting as bearer, on the morning after the guards arrived, and Umballa knew not how long he might have to wait. Through one of the women he sent a verbal message to the majordomo, with the result that each day he learned what was taking place in the palace. So they hunted for the king?

He was very well satisfied. He had had his revenge; and more than this, he was confident when the time came he would also gain his liberty. He had a ransom to pay: the king himself!

Now, then, Ramabai felt it incumbent on him to hold a banquet in the palace, there to state to his friends, native and white, just what he intend-

"I Will Tell All. I Am Dying!"

ed to do. And on the night of this sober occasion he sat in the throne room before a desk littered with documents. As he finished writing a note he summoned the majordomo.

"Have this delivered at once to Hare Sahib, whom you will find at his bungalow outside the city. Tell him also that he must be present tonight, he, his friend, and his daughters. It is of vital importance."

Pundita, who was staring out of the window, turned and asked her lord what he was sending the Colonel Sahib hat he could not give him at the banquet.

"A surprise, an agreeable surprise."

The majordomo cocked his ears; but Ramabai said nothing more.

At the colonel's bungalow there was rejoicing. Ramabai had written that since the king could not be found he would head the provisional government as regent, search for and arrest Umballa, and at any time the Colonel Sahib signified would furnish him with a trusty escort to the railway, three days' journey away. He added, however, that he hoped the Colonel Sahib would be good enough to remain till order was established.

The majordomo contrived to tarry long enough to overhear as much of the conversation as needed—for he understood English—and then returned to the city to carry the news to Umballa. To him Umballa gave a white powder.

"Tonight, you say, Ramabai gives a banquet?"

"Yes, huzoor."

"Well, put this in his cup and your obligation to me is paid."

The majordomo stared a long time at that little packet of powder. A cold sweat formed upon his brow under his turban.

"Well?" said Umballa, ironically.

"Huzoor, it is murder!"

Umballa shrugged and held out his hand for the packet.

The majordomo swallowed a few times and bowed his head. "It shall be done, huzoor. My life is yours to do with as you please. I have said it."

"Begone, then, and bring me the news on the morrow that Ramabai is dead. You alone know where the king is. Should they near the hut in which I have hidden him, see that he is killed. He is also useless."

The major domo departed with heavy heart. Ramabai was an honest man; but Durga Ram had spoken.

At the banquet, with its quail and pheasant, its fruits and flowers, its rare plates and its rarer goblets for the light wines high castes permitted themselves occasionally to drink, Ramabai toyed idly with his goblet and thoughtlessly pushed it toward Kathlyn, who sat at his right.

Imbued with a sense of gratitude for Ramabai's patience and kindness and assistance through all her dreadful ordeals, Kathlyn sprang up suddenly and without looking reached for what she supposed to be her own goblet, but inadvertently her hand came in contact with Ramabai's. What she had in mind to say was never spoken.

The majordomo stood appalled. This wonderful white woman over whom the gods watched as they watched the winds and the rains, of whom he had not dared speak to Umballa. She? No! He saw that he himself must die. He seized the goblet ere it reached her lips, drank, and flung it aside empty. He was as good as dead, for there were no antidotes for poisons Umballa gave. Those seated about the table were too astonished to stir. The majordomo put his hand to his eyes, reeled, steadied himself; and [illegible] Ramabai understood.

"[illegible]" he gasped, springing up and catching the majordomo by the shoulders. "Poison, and it was meant for me. Speak!"

"Lord, I will tell all. I am dying!"

It was a strange tale of misplaced loyalty and gratitude, but it was peculiarly oriental. And when they learned that Umballa was hidden in his own house and the king in a hut outside the city they knew that God was just, whatever his prophet's name might be. Before he died the majordomo explained the method of entering the secret chamber.

The quail and pheasant, the fruits and wine remained untouched. The hall become deserted almost immediately. To the king first; to the king! Tha Umballa should pay his debt.

They found the poor king in the hut, in a pitiable condition. He laughed and babbled and smiled and wept as they led him away. But in the secret chamber which was to have held Umballa there was no living thing.

For Umballa had, at the departure of the majordomo, conceived a plan for rehabilitation so wide in its ramifications, so powerful and whelming, that nothing could stay it once it was set in motion. The priests, the real rulers of Asia; the wise and patient gurus, who held the most compelling of all scepters, superstition! Double fool that he had been not to have thought of this before! He knew that they hated Ramabai, who in religion was an outcast and a pariah, who worshiped but a single God whom none had ever seen, of whom no idol had been carved and set up in a temple.

Superstition!

Umballa threw off his robes and donned his candy seller's tatters, left the house without being questioned by the careless guard, and sought the chief temple.

Superstition!

To cow the populace, to bring the troops to the mark, with threats of curses, famine, plague, eternal damnation! Superstition! And this is why Ramabai and his followers found the empty chamber.

CHAPTER XXII.

Allaha's Real King Killed.

In the rear of the temple Umballa sought was a small chamber which was used by the priests when they desired to rest or converse privately, which was often. The burning temple lamps of brass emphasized the darkness of the room rather than dispelled it. A shadow occasionally flickered through the amber haze—an exploring bat. A dozen or more priests stood in one of the dim corners, from which their own especial idol winked at them with eyes like coals blown upon. The Krishna of the Ruby eyes, an idol known far and wide but seen by few.

In the temple itself there was a handful of tardy worshipers. The heat of the candles, the smell of the eternal lotus flower and smoking incense sticks made even the huge vault stifling. Many of the idols were bejeweled or patched with beaten gold leaf, and many had been coveted by wandering white men, who, when their endeavor became known, disappeared mysteriously and were never more known in the haunts of men.

A man in tatters appeared suddenly in the great arched doorway. His turban came down almost to his eyes and a neckcloth covered his mouth. All that could be seen of him in the matter of countenance was a pair of brilliant eyes and predatory nose. He threw a quick, piercing glance about, assured himself that such devotees as he saw were harmless, then strode boldly if hurriedly toward the rear chamber, which he entered without ado. Instantly the indignant priests rushed toward him to expel him and give him a tongue-lashing for his impudence, when a hand was thrust out, and they beheld upon a finger a great green stone. They stopped as suddenly as though they had met an invisible electric [illegible]

The curtain fell behind the man in tatters, and he remained motionless for a space. A low murmuring among the priests ensued, and presently one of their number — the youngest — passed out and stationed himself before the curtain. Not even a privileged dancing girl might enter now.

The man in tatters stepped forward. He became the center of the group; his gestures were quick, tense, authoritative. At length priest turned to priest, and the wrinkled faces became more wrinkled still: smiles.

"Highness," said the eldest, "we had thought of this, but you did not make us your confidant."

"Till an hour gone it had not occurred to me. Shall Ramabai, then, become your master, to set forth the propaganda of the infidel?"

"No!" The word was not spoken loudly, but sibilantly, with something resembling a hiss. "No!"

"And shall a king who has no mind, no will, no strength, resume his authority? Perhaps to bring more white people into Allaha, perhaps to give Allaha eventually to the British raj?"

Again the negative.

"But the method?"

Umballa smiled. "What brings the worshiper here with candles and flowers and incense? Is it love or reverence or superstition?"

The bald yellow heads nodded like porcelain mandarins.

"Superstition," went on Umballa, "the sword which bends the knees of the layman, has and always will through the ages!"

In the vault outside a bell tinkled, a gong boomed melodiously.

"When I give the sign," continued the schemer, "declare the curse upon all those who do not bend. A word from your lips, and Ramabai's troops vanish, reform, and become yours and mine!"

"While the king lives?" asked the chief priest curiously.

"Ah!" And Umballa smiled again. "But you, Durga Ram?"

"There is Ramabai, a senile king, and I. Which for your purposes will you choose?"

There was a conference. The priests drifted away from Umballa. He did not stir. His mien was proud and haughty, but for all that his knees shook and his heart thundered. He understood that it was to be all or nothing, no middle course, no half methods. He waited, wetting his cracked lips and swollen lips. When the priests returned to him, their heads bent before him a little. It represented a salaam, as much as they had ever given to the king himself. A glow ran over Umballa.

"Highness, we agree. There will be terms."

"I will agree to them without question."

Life and power again; real power! These doddering fools should serve him, thinking the while that they served themselves.

"Half the treasury must be paid to the temple."

"Agreed!" Half for the temple and half for himself; and the abolishment of the seven leopards. "With this stipulation: Ramabai is yours, but the white people are to be mine."

The priests signified assent.

And Umballa smiled in secret. Ramabai would be dead on the morrow.

"There remains the king," said the chief priest.

Umballa shrugged.

The chief priest stared soberly at the lamp above his head. The king would be, then, Umballa's affair.

"He is ill?"

"He is moribund . . . Silence!" warned Umballa.

The curtains became violently agitated. They heard the voice of the young priest outside raised in protest, to be answered by the shrill tones of a woman.

"You are mad!"

"And thou art a stupid fool!"

Umballa's hand fell away from his dagger.

"It is a woman," he said. "Admit her."

The curtains were thrust aside, and the painted dancing girl who had saved Umballa from death or capture

Where Was the Document He Had Given His Friend Hare?

in the fire of his own contriving rushed in. Her black hair was studded with turquoise, a necklace of amber gleamed like gold around her neck, and on her arms and ankles a plenitude of silver bracelets and ankiets. With her back to the curtains, the young priest staring curiously over her shoulders, she presented a picturesque tableau.

"Well?" said Umballa, who understood that she was here from no idle whim.

"Highness, you must hide with me this night."

"Indeed?"

"Or die," coolly.

Umballa sprang forward and seized her roughly.

"What has happened?"

"I was in the zenana, highness, visiting my sister, whom you had transferred from the palace. All at once we heard shouting and trampling of feet, an a moment later your house was overrun with men. They had found the king in the hut and had taken him to the palace. That they did not find you is because you came here."

"Tell me all."

"It seems that the majordomo gave the poison to Ramabai, but the white goddess . . ."

"The white goddess!" cried Umballa, as if stung by a cobra's fang.

"Ay, highness. She did not die on that roof. Nothing can harm her. It is written."

"And I was never told!"

She lived, lived, and all the terrors he had evoked for her were as naught! Umballa was not above superstition himself for all his European training. Surely this girl of the white people was imbued with something more than mortal. She lived!

"Go on!" he said, his voice subdued as was his soul.

"The white goddess by mistake took Ramabai's goblet and was about to drink when the majordomo seized the goblet and drained the poison himself.

WOODLAND.

The baseball team from Bigler came to Woodland on Wednesday evening and played a very interesting game, but the Woodland boys beat them as the score was 5-4 in favor of Woodland. Some fine players in our town.

A crowd of young people from Clearfield came here and enjoyed Wednesday evening at Mineral Spring park.

D. E. Young was in Clearfield on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wolstencroft, of Stoneville, were shopping in Woodland on Wednesday.

Daniel Duke steps and wide since a bouncing big boy arrived at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barger were visiting in Clearfield yesterday.

Clyde Peters, of Lower End, was in Woodland Wednesday evening.

Clyde Snyder, of Bigler, took in the Ball game in our town on Wednesday night.

There was a barn dance held at the home of Callie Parks Saturday night. Everybody enjoyed themselves Among the many who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kyler, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Knepp, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wisor, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Maines, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dixon, John Jordon, Ray Palmer, Lloyd Rowles Geo. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Wisor, Miss Violet Green, Claire Young.

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N. Y. C. SHOPS PICNIC TO BE HELD AUGUST 29

The great picnic of the year from this section has been announced and the event will be held at Clearfield, says the Jersey Shore Herald.

The shop picnic of the New York Central employees has proved to be one of the chief events of the year. It is then when the delegations from this section shares the merriment and enjoys a general good time. The boys have decided to hold the picnic Saturday, August 29, and a prominent park in the vicinity of Clearfield has been selected as the place.

Among the amusements of the day will be likely two games of baseball between the local players and probably a game with a team from Clearfield. Many other attractions will be added from time to time that will, as usual, make one of the joyous days for the shop men.

Rhubarb sponge.

Rhubarb sponge is made as for jelly, but when it begins to thicken the beaten whites of three eggs are whipped in until the jelly is quite stiff. Serve with whipped cream or a thin custard made from the yolks of the eggs.

Hint to Housewife.

When washing soiled diapers, put a tablespoonful each of borax and ammonia in the boiling water. Rinse well. This makes the diapers soft and white and they will not chafe the baby.

KAISER CONFERRING WITH HIS GENERALS AND HIGHLAND REGIMENT ON WAY TO FRONT.

The emperor of German finds it no easy task to overcome the opposition of Belgium to the passage of his troops through that country on their way to France.

One of the first English regiments to go to the aid of Belgium is the cra ck Highland regiment, made up of Scotland's best fighting men.

NEW OPERA HOUSE

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BASEBALL PLAYERS IN THE ROLL OF SHERLOCK HOLMES

BY FRANG G. MENKE.

New York, Ang. 8.—Those who are of the opinion that a ball player can detect nothing but the way to the paymaster's window and the dining room entrance, will be surprised to know what George McQuillen and Alex McCarthy, of Pittsburgh, did in this town on the occasion of their recent visit.

They caught a crook.

Not knowing what else to do with the evening in question, George and Alex, who pitch and play second base for the Pirates when not sleuthing, wandered down to the police headquarters to hold commune with the visible forms thereabouts. George and Alex being law abiding citizens have become chummy with certain members of the force, and during the early part of the evening they discussed pro and con as to which job was the easier—policing or ball playing.

In due course of time an Englishman named Adams catapulted into the station house.

"H'ive been robbed" he shrieked. "They've taken $4500 from me. H'ive been swindled."

Adams was led into the rogues gallery where they kept a reserve stock of photographs of confidence men. Adams pawed over a hundred or so, and then, waving one in the air shouted:

"That's 'im, the bloomin' crook. That's 'im what stole my watch. Up and at 'im boys." or words to that effect.

McQuillen and McCarthy had trailed along with the party and were among those present when Adams discovered the picture of the man who flimmed him of roll via the old wire tapping scheme.

'That guy usually hangs around Chinatown," remarked one of the copperinos.

"Does, hey?" quoth McQuillen. 'Guess we'll go out and hunt him up. Come along, Alex."

Alex did. The pair of ball players did quite a bit of hunting As the hour neared midnight it looked as if their looking would be in vain. But you know how such stories usually end. It was the very last place in which this pair of Smoke City sleuths decided to look that McQuillen spotted a fellow, leaning up against a bar, contentedly blowing foam off a glass of lager beer.

"Hist," hissed McQuillen.

Together the pair withdrew from the entrance for a conference.

'Hunt up a copper quick, Alex," whispered George. "I'll shadow this guy until you get back. Rustle!"

Alex in the due course of time caught up with a pair of officers and somewhat against their will and judgment practically dragged them back to where McQuillen, through a crack in the door, was watching his quarry.

The plain clothes men at McQuillen's direction, walked up to the beer sipper, gave him the up and down from several different angles and then, as one laid a heavy hand upon the beer drinker's shoulder the other said: "C'm along. You're pinched"

It is usual in stories concerning amateur sleuths to have it discovered after the suspect is led into police headquarters, despite his frantic protests, that instead of being a crook, a shoplifter, or something equally naughty, that he's mayor of the town the choir-master or the retired chief of police. But this story is the exception

The man that McQuillen spotted was a real crook with a long police record, a confidence man known to the police of many cities and the man whom Adams later identified as the leader of the gang that had swindled him out of $4500.

Baseball

Yesterday's Results

National League.

Pittsburg, 5; Boston, 1.
Pitchers; Cooper and Cotrel.
St. Louis, 0; Brooklyn, 3.
Pitchers; Griner and Ragon.
Cincinnati, 0; Philadelphia, 2.
Pitchers; Ames and Alexander.
Chicago, 4; New York, 8
Pitchers; Pierce and Fromme.

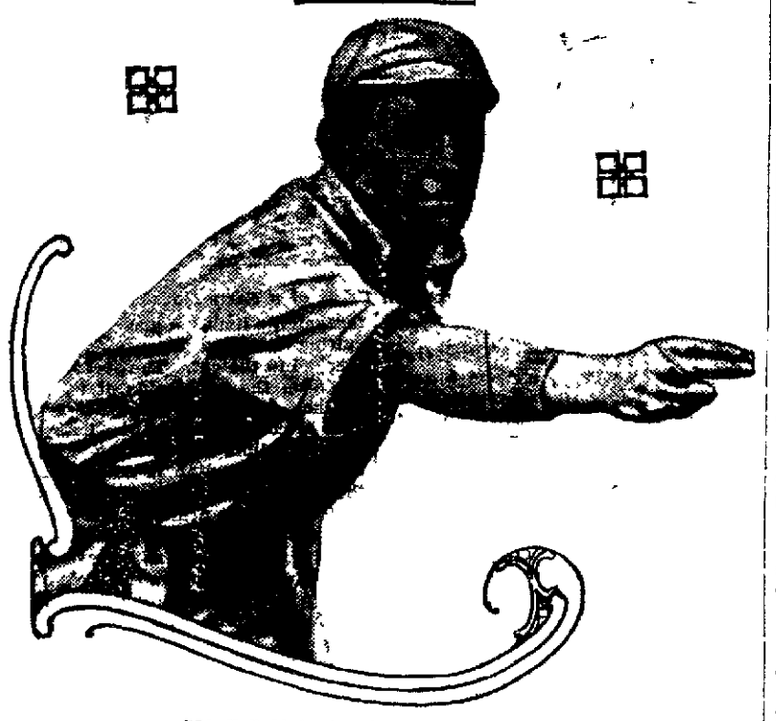
American League.

Philadelphia, 4; Cleveland, 0.
Pitchers; Bender and Mitchell.
Boston, 1; Detroit, 3.
Pitchers; Gregg and Covaleski.
Washington, 0; Chicago, 2.
Pitchers, Ayers and Benz.
New York, 4; St. Louis, 3.
Pitchers; Fishers and Weilman.

Federal League.

St. Louis, 2; Pittsburgh, 1.
Pitchers; Cooper and Dickson.

FEW PLAYERS FOLLOW KEELER'S ADVICE



"Stuffy" McInnis of Champion Athletics.

"Hit 'em where they ain't," said "Wee Willie" Keeler Ambitious ball players have been trying to do it ever since As a matter of fact, they were trying to do it before "Willie" tipped them off to what they were trying to do

"It's just as simple as doing a 'Brodie" over Niagara Falls and still feeling healthy and strong afterward. "Willie" said it as if that's all any batter has to know to cut into any pitcher's pitching for about 400 worth. And to "Willie" it was just like reciting the alphabet. But all batters are not Keelers That's why some pitchers draw big salaries

There are a lot of players who personally believe "Willie" didn't know what he was talking about. They call themselves "hard luck hitters" because fielders move out of their usual positions to play in the right spots to stonewall the near hits.

They mumble something about "Hit 'em where they ain't, is all right enough, but there ain't no such place Just as a fellow thinks he's picked an opening big enough for a baseball to slide through without having the trade mark rubbed off, some fielder pulls a 'bone,' leaves his position and is just lucky enough to wander in front of the ball."

Most of these players are "lucked" out of the big leagues. But in at least one instance some of these disgruntled batters are right. The four young men who do business for "Connie" Mack on his lawn are as near to being a net without being a net as anything or things could be. There seems to be only one kind of a hit they cannot stop—something going so fast they cannot see it.

That infield has won two pennants for him in the last three years, and is guiding the Athletics along the straight and narrow path again. Last season Mack's pitching staff was anything but a championship contrivance. Yet the young pitchers could be pounded for various quantities of runs and the games still be saved, because Baker, Barry, Collins and McInnis took it upon themselves to manufacture more runs than the other fellows could.

It is up to the infield to pull the club through to the top if it is to mingle in another world series next autumn.

It makes no difference what the tally sheet shows, Baker, Barry, Collins and McInnis are always on the job, looking for something to keep them busy. And they can be depended upon to find it

Among the Baseball Players

Herman Bronkie and Baddy Livingston are playing great ball for Indianapolis.

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Bill Carrigan is one manager who believes in giving the young hurlers a chance.

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Lajoie's baseball star may be setting, but that isn't the matter with the Naps by a good deal.

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One of the bravest managers in the American league is Bill Carrigan. He declares the Red Sox will win the pennant.

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The Cincinnati Reds have still another outfield candidate. He is McLaughlin, who hails from Colgate university.

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Johnny Dobbs, the new manager of the New Orleans team, is popular with his men and enjoys their fullest confidence.

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Statistics compiled on runs scored by teams in the National league show the Phillies to be the greatest run getters.

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A new comet has been discovered in the West, but as yet no efforts have been made to sign it to a Federal contract.

DESERTS RED SOX FOR FEDERALS.

Steve Yerkes in Red Sox uniform.

Second Baseman Steve Yerkes has jumped to the Pittsburgh team of the Federals.

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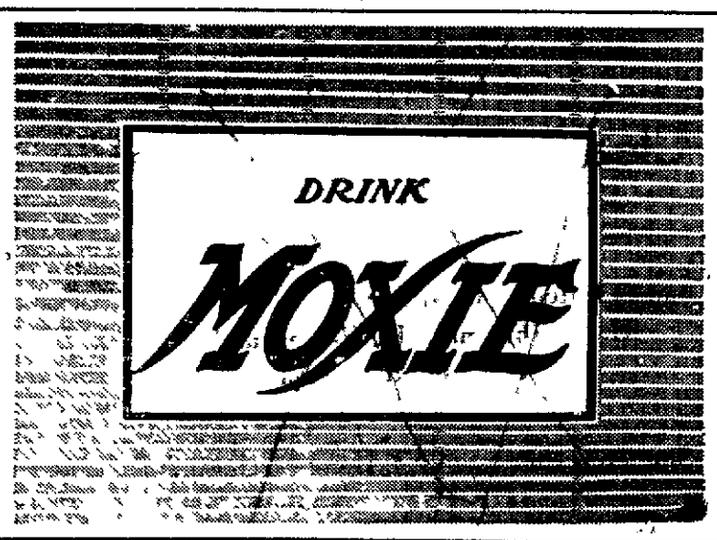

CARE OF THE REFRIGERATOR

Matter That Is of Much Importance in the Preservation of Family's Health.

Cleanliness does come "next to godliness" as regards your refrigerator—more, perhaps, than in any other part of the establishment. The housekeeper's first aim regarding her refrigerator must be absolute cleanliness. A few hints concerning this article may be helpful to the inexperienced.

Look over the ice box daily. Wash it at least three times a week. If the pipe connecting the ice chamber and drip pan is adjustable it should be removed and scalded once a week, for you will be surprised to notice the green slime that forms an inside coating. Do not simply empty the drip pan once or twice daily Clean it regularly also. There is nothing better for the purpose than old fashioned "salt soda" combined with plenty of boiling water

Never be guilty of putting ice in the chest wrapped in newspapers. That is well enough to keep in a box or tub and is good at times. It is more sanitary to wash ice before placing it in the ice chamber, and you avoid the risk of clogging the waste pipe with particles of straw and sawdust.

One-Prong Fork.

A clever housewife has almost invented a kitchen tool. Taking an ordinary, long-handled, three-pronged cook's fork, she filed off the two outer prongs, leaving only one, and uses this to test whether a vegetable or piece of meat is tender. The one prong makes less mark and is less apt to break the food than the three piercings. The fork is good also to remove caps from milk bottles, and especially so in taking olives and other foods from long-necked bottles and cans, such as sections of fruit, etc Indeed, this housekeeper believes that she couldn't "keep kitchen" without it.

Glass Plant Fires Started.

The fire in the tank of the Wightman Glass company's plant in Punxsutawney was lighted yesterday and on September 1 the manufacture of medicinal bottleware will start at the plant. It was planned to start the fire early in the spring, but unforseen delays prevented.

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IMPORTANT DATES.

Jordan family reunion, Mineral Springs park, Woodland, August 15.

First Annual Educational reunion, Burnside, August 21.

Fourth annual picnic Fraternal association, Curwensville, August 12.

County S. S. association convention, Osceola Mills, August 25-26.

Annual reunion of the Mahaffey family, at Williamsport, August 13.

Public schools will reopen on Tuesday, September 1.

Labor day, September 7.

Columbus day, October 12.

Saturday, August 8, 1914

Good evening! Be patient with the thoughtless and prove that you too are not given to err.

PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS.

In appropriating one hundred and fifty dollars toward the purchase of apparatus to be used in public playgrounds borough council was well within its powers, and in providing that this money shall be expended under the supervision of a committee council complied with the law. Council has no authority to spend the people's money for playgrounds of a private or semi-private character, but it can expend money in providing public parks, in aiding in theid equipment as playgrounds and in caring for the playgrounds.

As the purpose of the ladies who have sought the assistance of council in equipping the Lower Witmer park with apparatus with which children may amuse themselves is to afford pleasure for the little tots these ladies are not at all particular as to how or by whom this apparatus is purchased. With the playgrounds under the direct supervision of a councilmanic committee, which will see that the apparatus purchased and used is kept in good condition and is not destroyed as apparatus placed in the lower par a few years ago was, the ladies will no doubt be satisfied.

It is the hope of the projectors of the playgrounds that in time each ward in the city will have a public playground in which the children of such wards may enjoy themselves. The principal trouble heretofore relative to enlisting the cooperation of council in the playground propositions has been the lack of interest taken in the apparatus used after the play season has passed and the absence of that discipline which is so necessary to the enjoyment of the pleasure of a playground by all classes of children.

FAMILY REUNIONS.

This is the season of family reunions. These family gatherings are pleasant milestones in life's pathway, leading on to fraternal and social enjoyment. The true purpose of these reunions is to give members of the various clans an opportunity to meet at least once a year to enjoy an outing; to forget for the day at least the petty troubles and annoyances of life, and to exchange experiences of the year, thus creating and maintaining that intercourse which brings the various branches of the original family into closer fellowship.

There are quite a number of families in Clearfield county who hold annual reunions. There are many other families which might follow the example with pleasure and profit to themselves and each individual member, from the aged grandfather to the smallest grandchild. There are many families in this county whose history is so closely united with the history of the county that a reunion may be regarded as a near approach to an affair in which the public is interested. The annual reunion should be an important epoch in the lives of a large number of families in this county.

If you did not read the Progress yesterday you had to wait until eleven o'clock today to learn that German warships were defeated by the British in the North sea; that Liege, Belgium, was set afire by shells from German guns; that the French troops have begun the invasion of German territory, and that French troops are being rushed to Liege to aid the Belgians in repelling the German army of four hundred thousand men, and a lot of other war news found exclusively in the Progress.

One by one the Republicans are being pushed off the pie counter stool to make room for hungry Democrats. And yet the Republicans of Pennsylvania want to return Penrose to the United States seate; Penrose, the man who is partially responsible for the success of the Democratic party in 1912.

A newspaper speaks sympathetically of a "rich woman who is stranded in a foreign capital." A rich woman under such circumstances is less to be pitied than a poor woman who must look out for herself with nothing in her purse except a return ticket.

The European war comes at a bad time for the Democrats, as foreign imports are likely to fall off considerably until the conflict is over and European manufacturers are again able to ship their goods into this country.

The greatest diplomat in the world is the man who can persuade his wife to believe the story he tells her when he appears at his home at three o'clock in the morning.

The haste with which some of those small powers in Europe proclaim their neutrality in this war would seem to indicate that these powers have been reading history.

Charity begins at home, and sometimes it is such a slow walker that it never gets far from its doorstep.

On to Berlin, may yet become the war cry of the Belgians.

SIX SMALL SMILES.

Unlucky.

Cynicus—I once knew a fellow who gave a girl an engagement ring of opals.

Sillicus—Geneius! Wasn't it unlucky?

Cynicus—You bet it was! She married him.—Judge.

Apprehensive.

"Your constituents will gather at the station to meet you when you get home," asked the visitor.

"I supose so," replied Senator Sorghum, gloomily, "Will there be a reception committee or do they intend to assemble as mob?—Washington Star.

No Longer Desirable.

The new president—But say, what a mozzy lot of directors you have! They look as if you'd gone to the highways and byways for 'em.

The secretary—We did. It was the best material we could get after the New Haven blowout.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Something on His Side, Too.

Young Wife—Before we were married, Percy, you never smoked in my presence.

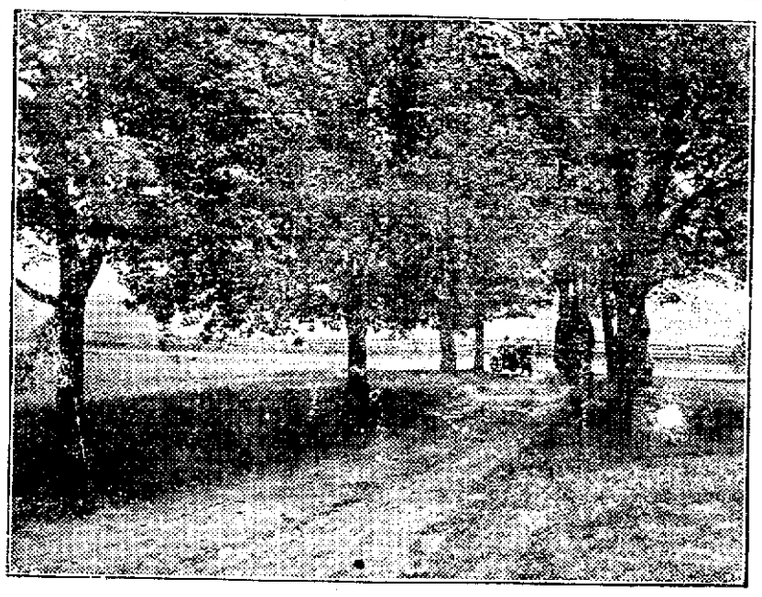
Young Husband—I know it, my dear; and you never wore curl papers in mine.—Stray Stories.

Deserve Distinction.

Do you have any differences of opinion in your family?

Terrible. Why, it couldn't be any worse if we were all members of the Supreme Court.—Life.

FEW ESSENTIALS OF TREE REPAIR WORK



An Excellent Grove In Front of a Farm House.

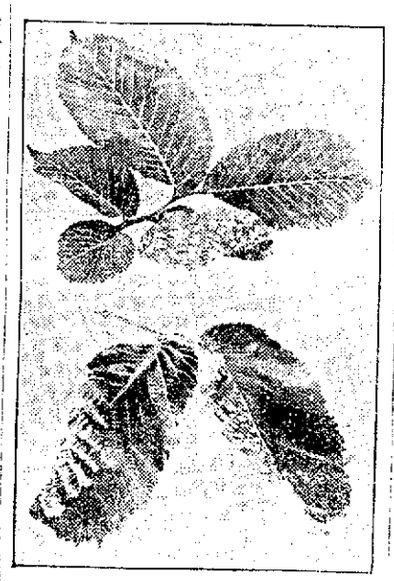
(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It is a well known fact that trees are subject to injuries, from a great variety of causes. In a great majority of cases these injuries are allowed to remain untreated—often for years. Rot-producing fungi commonly gain entrance at these places, and eventually the original inconspicuous or unobserved injury develops into a comparatively large area of decay. The real aim of tree surgery is to repair the damage, resulting from such neglected injuries and rotted areas, says the United States Department of Agriculture Year Book.

In most tree surgery work a few fundamental principles must be observed in order that permanent good results may be realized. These may be summarized as follows: Remove all decayed, diseased, or injured wood and bark. When on small limbs, this can often best be done by removing the limb. On larger limbs or on the trunk it may at times mean the digging out of a cavity. Sterilize and water-proof all cut surfaces. Leave the work in the most favorable condition for rapid healing. This will often mean the filling of deep cavities. Watch the work from year to year for defects, and if any appear, attend to them immediately and thus avoid loss or necessity of expensive repair in the future.

Tree surgery, or, more properly, tree repair work, is not a mysterious art, known only to a favored few, who alone, are fitted to undertake it, as some interested persons would have tree owners believe. It can be undertaken by any careful man who has a good general knowledge of the structure and life history of a tree, its normal manner of covering wounds, and how insects and decay organisms cause damage, provided he can handle a gouge and mallet, a saw, and a tar brush. For work in the tops of trees he will also need a clear head and ability to climb.

In its simplest type, tree surgery consists in removing dead, diseased, or decayed limbs or stubs from a tree and treating the scar with an antiseptic and waterproof covering to prevent decay while healing. Another type consists in cutting out the decayed and diseased matter in trees and filling the cavities with cement or other material to facilitate the normal healing-over process. This is often referred to as "tree dentistry," a term which very aptly indicates the character of the work. Filled cavities do not increase the strength of the trunk or limb to the extent that is generally supposed.



Elm Leaves Injured by the Woolly Aphid, the Elm Tree Pest Which is Destroying Many Fine Elms in City Parks and Elsewhere.

Removing Branches.

For the work of removing branches, the most essential implements are a good sized saw with teeth so set as to make a wide cut, a gouge, a chisel, a mallet, and a strong knife. For cutting limbs near the ground these are the only necessary implements.

A large limb should never be removed by sawing through from the upper side, as this usually strips the bark and wood below the scar. The proper way is to make the first saw cut on the under side, from six inches to a foot beyond the point where the final cut is to be made. It should reach from one-fourth to one-half through the limb. A good time to stop cutting is when the saw becomes pinched in the cut. The second cut is made on the upper side of the limb, an inch or two beyond the first one. This is continued until the limb falls. After the limb has fallen, a third cut to remove the stub is made close to the trunk and in line with its wood surface. When nearly sawed through, the stub must be supported until completely severed, so as to avoid any possibility of stripping the bark below as it falls. The first and second cuts to prevent stripping may be omitted when small limbs which can be held firmly in place until completely severed are being cut.

When the scar is not naturally pointed above and below, it is a good practise on most trees to remove a short triangular piece of bark from the upper edge, so as to anticipate its dying back at these points. This makes the scar pointed at both ends, the most favorable shape for healing. It is important that some good shellac be applied with a suitable brush over the edge of the bark and outer wood immediately after the cut is made. If the scar is a large one, it is a good plan to use the knife around the edge for one or two minutes and then shellac the freshly cut surfaces, repeating the operation until all the bark and sap wood around the scar has been shellacked. The full benefit of the shellac will not be achieved if many minutes elapse between the cutting and the shellacking, unless the freshly cut surfaces are visibly moist with sap. If necessary, the woody surface of the scar may now be smoothed off with a chisel and mallet to conform in general shape with the tree trunk.

Antiseptic and Waterproof Dressings.

The final operation is to sterilize and waterproof the surface of the exposed wood and bark. For this purpose many preparations have been used. Recent extensive tests by specialists in timber preservation indicate that some of the creosotes stand far ahead of all other tested preparations in their power to destroy and prevent the growth of certain wood-destroying fungi and that ordinary creosote, although it does not head the list, is far better than the other preparations except some of the less known and less available creosotes. Furthermore, creosote penetrates the wood better than a watery antiseptic. Commercial creosote can be applied with an ordinary paint brush over every part of the exposed wood. The [illegible] painting it with heavy coal tar. A single [illegible] of creosote and [illegible] one-fourth or one-third creosote) has been quite extensively used with good results. Although one coating of this mixture may at times be sufficient, it is always safer to follow it with a heavy coat of coal tar.

A good grade of lead paint can be substituted for the tar, if desired, although it is not generally considered as satisfactory. Or grafting wax may serve satisfactorily for small surfaces. Asphalt and various preparations containing asphalt are excellent waterproof coverings and would doubtless be more generally used were it not necessary to apply them hot. A good and possibly more permanent [illegible] of treating the scars is to char the surface slightly with a gasoline or alcohol blast torch and then cover the hot surface with heavy tar or hot asphalt. Although heat is an excellent sterilizing agent, it does not penetrate as well as creosote and it kills back the cambium or soft, forming wood, to a greater extent.

Tools.

The necessary tools for digging out decayed matter are few. As a rule, two outside ground socket-handled gouges (one with a curved cutting edge of about three-fourths of an inch and the other, perhaps one and a half inches), a chisel, a mallet, a knife, and an oilstone are sufficient for ordinary work. The gouges, chisel, and knife should never be used near the cambium when they lack a keen edge, as dull tools will injure it. In cutting out deep cavities, longer interchangeable handles for the gouges may be necessary. A ladder or a stepladder will be required if the work is more than five feet from the ground. Climbing spurs should be avoided as they cause injuries which may allow infection by organisms, causing rot or parasite diseases.

MADE WITH FRIED RHUBARB

Kentucky Delicacy That Has Many Admirers Among Those Who Are Fond of Good Eating.

The Kentucky variation of fried rhubarb pie is as follows: Cook the rhubarb to a thick, sweet marmalade, flavoring with orange, lemon, nutmeg or ginger, according to fancy, or a few large seeded and chopped raisins may be cooked with the rhubarb. The crust is made of rich biscuit or shortcake dough, rolled thin as possible and size of a tea plate, fried in an iron frying pan and turned like a pan cake. As each one is fried a nice brown, it is spread with the marmalade. Four or five are put together like layer cake, and served hot, cutting them like pie. The crust must be short enough to be tender and fried a crisp, but not hard, brown, cutting easily.

Many readers have asked for directions for making rhubarb jelly for dessert. Cut a pound of the fruit into inch lengths and put into a baking dish with a pint of sugar, a pint of water and a little ginger root. Bake until the rhubarb is tender. Soften half a boxful of gelatin with half a cupful of cold water, using the pink gelatin. Dissolve over hot water and strain into the rhubarb; then add the juice of a lemon. Pour into a mold wet with cold water and set away to get firm. Serve with garnish of whipped cream and clear lemon jelly made quite stiff and cut in cubes.—Lida Ames Willis.

Needed a Change.

The proprietor of a second hand store was not so tidy as he might have been. One day while standing in front of his store an Irishman approached and asked:

"Have yez any clane shirts in yer store?

"Shure, I have", answered the clothing man, anxious for a sale, "lots of them so clean as anything."

"Well, said the Irishman, moving away, "go on in and put one on yerself".

Hymn Before Action.

The earth is full of anger,
The seas are dark with wrath,
The nations in their harness
Go up against our path:
Ere yet we loose the legions—
Ere yet we draw the blade,
Jehovah of the Thunders,
Lord God of Battles, aid!

High lust and forward bearing,
Proud heart, rebellious brow—
Deaf ear and soul uncaring,
We seek Thy mercy now!
The sinner that forswore Thee,
The fool that passed Thee by,
Our times are known before Thee—
Lord, grant us strength to die!

From panic, pride and terror,
Revenge that knows no rein,
Light haste and lawless error,
Protect us yet again.
Cloak Thou our undeserving,
Make firm the shuddering breath,
In silence and unswerving,
To taste Thy lesser death!

E'en now their vanguard gathers,
E'en now we face the fray—
As Thou didst help our fathers,
Help Thou our host today!
Fulfilled of signs and wonders,
In life, in death made clear—
Jehovah of the Thunders,
Lord God of Battles, hear!

—Rudyard Kipling.

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Mrs W [illegible] are v [illegible]

C P Johnson of D [illegible] ness visitor in Cl [illegible] Ind ay

Miss Ro [illegible] guest of her brother D [illegible] at Avis

Miss Catherine [illegible] left today to visit relatives in Buffalo

G L [illegible] of Dav street went up on the 11 to Niagara Falls

J A C [illegible] on business that detained them over today

Misses Lan and Maud Jordan left on the 11 08 train today for Niagara Falls

G L Barger of the East End, left this morning for a visit at Niagara Falls.

Misses Lan and Maud Jordan left on the 11 08 train today for Niagara Falls

Mrs Charles Nelson and Miss A A Nelson left this morning for DuBois

Frank Hamilton of Grampian, was a business visitor in Clearfield this morning

Miss Ethel Wrigley left this afternoon to spend a week with friends in DuBois

B B Hess of Grampian, and daughter Elizabeth spent the morning in town

Mr Eric Lansberry attended the Lansberry reunion at Mineral Spring this afternoon

Miss Esther Watson of McBride street is spending two weeks with her aunt at Bluebell

The squires many friends are glad to see him enjoying such good health after his serious illness

Miss Weber and Miss Sterner of Locust street are spending a week with friends in Indiana

Mrs John Barrett and sons Walter and Bruce, are visiting Mrs Barrett's folks at Westport

Mrs Emma Morris and daughter Helen left this morning for Niagara Falls and Toronto Canada

Mrs S V Border of Vineland N J, is visiting Mrs C E Peterson at her home on the West Side

Miss Margaret and Geraldine Lansberry are guests at the home of William Morrison in Jerry Run

O C Wrigley of State College is home to spend his vacation with his mother Mrs Millie Wrigley

Mrs R M Montgomery of Gulich avenue is visiting her parents Mr and Mrs E L Farley of DuBois

Mr Thomas Murray and Mrs Morris of Youngstown Ohio are the guests of Mrs William Blacker

Mrs Emma Morris and Miss Helen Morris will leave this evening for Niagara Falls and Toronto Canada

Mr and Mrs J A Larson of Altoona who have been visiting relatives here left this afternoon for their home

Mrs W E Potter and daughter Mary Elizabeth are spending the day in Clearfield on their way to Newburg

Miss Sadie and Laura Osborn returned last night from Sloppy Hollow where they were guests of the Dreibelbis family

Miss Rebecca Glancy of Baltimore who has been visiting friends in Clearfield for some time returned to her home today

Mr Arnold Nolan of East End left this morning for Connellsville to spend a week with his sister Mrs Thomas Parker

Miss Mildred Hewett of Pittsburgh, Pa, is the guest of Miss Marie Bell on Cherry street

Mrs Mary Hoover and daughter Miss Ruth Hoover left this morning for Buffalo and Niagara Falls

Mr James Haney of Portage who has been visiting at the home of Fred Gearhart and E Bloom left for home this afternoon

Rev and Mrs J F Key of the East End left yesterday for DuBois where they will take the train to Niagara Falls today

Mr and Mrs D C Parker and granddaughter Ervine of Locust street returned last evening from a visit to Jersey Shore

Mrs H N Culpatrick of Woodland entertained a crowd of girls at her home last evening A delightful time was enjoyed by all Dainty refreshments were served Those present were Misses Alfreda Lytle Wilma Arnold Mildred Lytle Dorothy Bressler Ruth Lansberry

[illegible] Prince [illegible] Sandy Ridge

[illegible] McGarrigle [illegible] Visitors today

[illegible] Pittsburgh [illegible] to her home today

Mrs Howard DeArmitt of Grant Ave will leave for her home tomorrow after six weeks visit with Mrs Edward Conner on Sixth street

[illegible] Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs Robert Street returned

[illegible] during this afternoon

Miss Elizabeth Lee Guide Thorn and Harold Brubaker Jr left today on the excursion to Niagara Falls

Mrs Ferry and daughter Selma [illegible] who have been visiting friends in town left this morning for Buffalo and Niagara Falls

Mrs Margaret Bloom [illegible] Harris and wife, for the past month left yesterday for her home in Philadelphia

KING COMMANDS STUBBORN BELGIAN DEFENDERS.

King Albert of Belgium with his staff o heers

Brussells Aug 8—With his two sons King Albert of Belgium has charge of the defense of Liege and is also at the head of the French force of 80 000 which is hastening to the relief of Liege

Where New Styles Are Launched

A MUCH sketched and much talked of costume worn at the Chantilly races is pictured at the left of the smaller photograph which appears here It is a black satin with the longest of white lace tunics over it and a black satin coat With the same color combination used in reverse order is a coat of white satin and a tunic of black lace at the right of the picture

A crowd of fashion friend the scene meets for the display of stunning costumes in the most effective of settings The people demonstrate the moods and trends now styles The form the center of a tract in front greater than it is in attendance for the purpose of looking at them

The hand of fortune which caused so many modistes to take notice and so many artists to love Lemieris or plaid coats is chiefly remarkable for the variety of the lace of which the tunic is made Patterned after an old Chantilly shawl was used for this tunic [illegible] figures are distributed to a [illegible] girls in [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] the article [illegible] are cut out [illegible] [illegible] they with [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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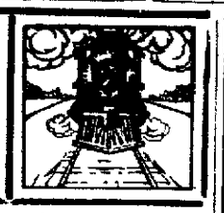
RAILROAD NEWS

Items of Interest, Gathered Here and There, For The Boys Who Man The Trains



INTERESTING FIGHT BETWEEN RAILROADS IN ELK COUNTY

After a legal fight lasting five years the Baltimore and Ohio railroad Thursday succeeded in entering James City, a small town in Elk county, three miles south of Kane, where the plant of the American Plate Glass company is located

The state public utilities commission Wednesday granted the Baltimore and Ohio the right to cross the tracks of the Kane and Elk railroad, which, until Thursday, was the only road entering James City Early Thursday morning one hundred men in charge of Chief Engineer Dedies were rushed to Kane from Butler to lay the line Upon their arrival they found the Kane and Elk company had placed a locomotive on the disputed crossing in charge of Engineer Rolfe and Fireman Neuf When the latter refused to release the crossing they were driven from the train, which was backed off the crossing and the air brakes spiked so the locomotive could not be operated Several arrests are expected to be made as a result of the tactics used by the men

Steel Trains for B & O.

Cincinnati will receive direct benefit from the large steel passenger squipment recently ordered by the Baltimore & Ohio Several installments of these new cars have been delivered in the past few days, and in consequence from this time forward the three through trains from Cincinnati to the east will be solid steel andf itted with electric lights throughout The trains between here and St Louis will have solid steel coaches, sleepers, baggage and mail cars

Wheat Shipments Delayed.

Two hundred cars loaded with Kansas wheat en route to Galveston for export have been stopped in the San a Fe yards at Gainesville, Tex, and four trains loaded with Kansas wheat en route to Galveston for export were placed in the yards Thursday at Marietta, Okla and Ardmore, Okla, to remain indefinately on account of the European war

New Engine Makes Test Haul.

The Erie railroad has just completed a series of tests on its new Centipede locomotive in Binghamton, N Y, with a view of trying out the pulling power of the Matt H Shay, the largest engine in the world The officers started the test with a large number of cars and kept adding to the train until it contained 250 loaded steel "battle ships" with a total weight of 21,000 tons

The engine pulled this train forty miles at the rate of fifteen miles an hour, establishing a new trainload record for the world, as well as the United States The train was easily more than 10 000 tons heavier than any ever bfeore pulled by one locomotive

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BILL OF FARE SHOULD BE APPETIZING AND VARIED.

Very Much More a Case of Judicious Selection and Serving Than of Expense—Suitable Combinations of Food Materials.

To say that a family bill of fare must be appetizing and varied does not necessarily mean that it must be costly as well At first sight, it might seem difficult to secure these qualities without buying rather expensive materials or serving very fancy dishes, but the theory does not hold in the case of food any more than in that of clothing and house furnishings

Just as the test of a woman's ability in dress is to get suitable and attractive effects with relatively low expense, so the test of her catering ability is to give her family an ample supply of wholesome and pleasantly varied meals with an outlay of money and time proportionate to her income and circumstances

Variety in the diet can be secured both by providing different kinds of food and by preparing staple foods in different ways, and the best results are obtained by combining both methods, says the United States department of agriculture year book. When the housekeeper studies the list of common foods and the combinations made from them, she will probably find that as regards their place in the menu they fall into general groups—those which, like bread potatoes, milk, eggs, etc, which have little distinctive taste, and those like cheese, soasoning vegetables, some sweets, cooked meats, etc, which have marked the individual flavor She will further find that the mild flavored materials are the ones which are used in the greatest quantities, meal after meal, while those of pronounced taste appear in smaller amounts, or some of them only occasionally To put it in another way, she will depend largely on the first group to make up the bulk of her dietary and on the second to vary it

In cookery, some foods require only simple methods to make them very palatable Tender steaks, or chops, in cooking, develop delicious meat flavors and require no highly flavored vegetable seasoning or condiments to make them palatable In themselves they furnish flavor sufficient to accompany potatoes rice or other foods of mild flavor On the other hand, in stews and other dishes made from the cheaper cuts of meat, carrots, onions or other distinctive flavors are usually added to supplement that of the meat flavor The cheaper cuts are not usually of such a texture that the best results can be secured by such simple methods as broiling or roasting

The housekeeper who makes a dish composed of cheese and macaroni, or of meat and rice or potato, etc, applies the same principle The great variety of pickles, preserves and elaborate pastry which American housekeepers used to consider necessary represented another instinctive effort to vary, by adding flavor, the monotony which was inevitable, particularly in winter fare before the days of easy transportation and cold storage brought fresh fruits and vegetables the year round

If the good housekeeper analyzes the make up of her meals a little further, she will probably find that she arranges them, perhaps unconsciously, according to more or less definite principles In most American families the chief daily features of breakfast are bread of some sort with butter very often fruit, and some kind of breakfast cereal, and coffee, tea or cocoa, with their usual accompaniments of sugar and milk or cream This combination is varied by omitting either the bread or the cereal (which is logical, if one wishes to do it since they provide the same sort of nutrients, though in different form) by changing the kind of bread or cereal, or by combining with them some other materials If the members of the family are engaged in much muscular work the meal will be made more hearty by the addition of some hot dish, as eggs meat hash, creamed fish bacon and possibly honey or sirup If their work is light, however, less variety or smaller portions will probably be preferred

The custom of serving fruit at breakfast is undoubtedly healthful and not extravagant if low priced fruit is chosen Of course it may be cooked or canned fruit if this is more convenient It does not increase the housekeeper's work so much if it is served with the other breakfast dishes as it does if made a separate course, for each course means extra time and service This is a commonplace illustration of the principle that the housekeeper who has many demands on her time or who has limited help should select ways of service which are simple and time saving rather than those suitable for families where other conditions prevail Well carried out, the result is pleasing in either case.

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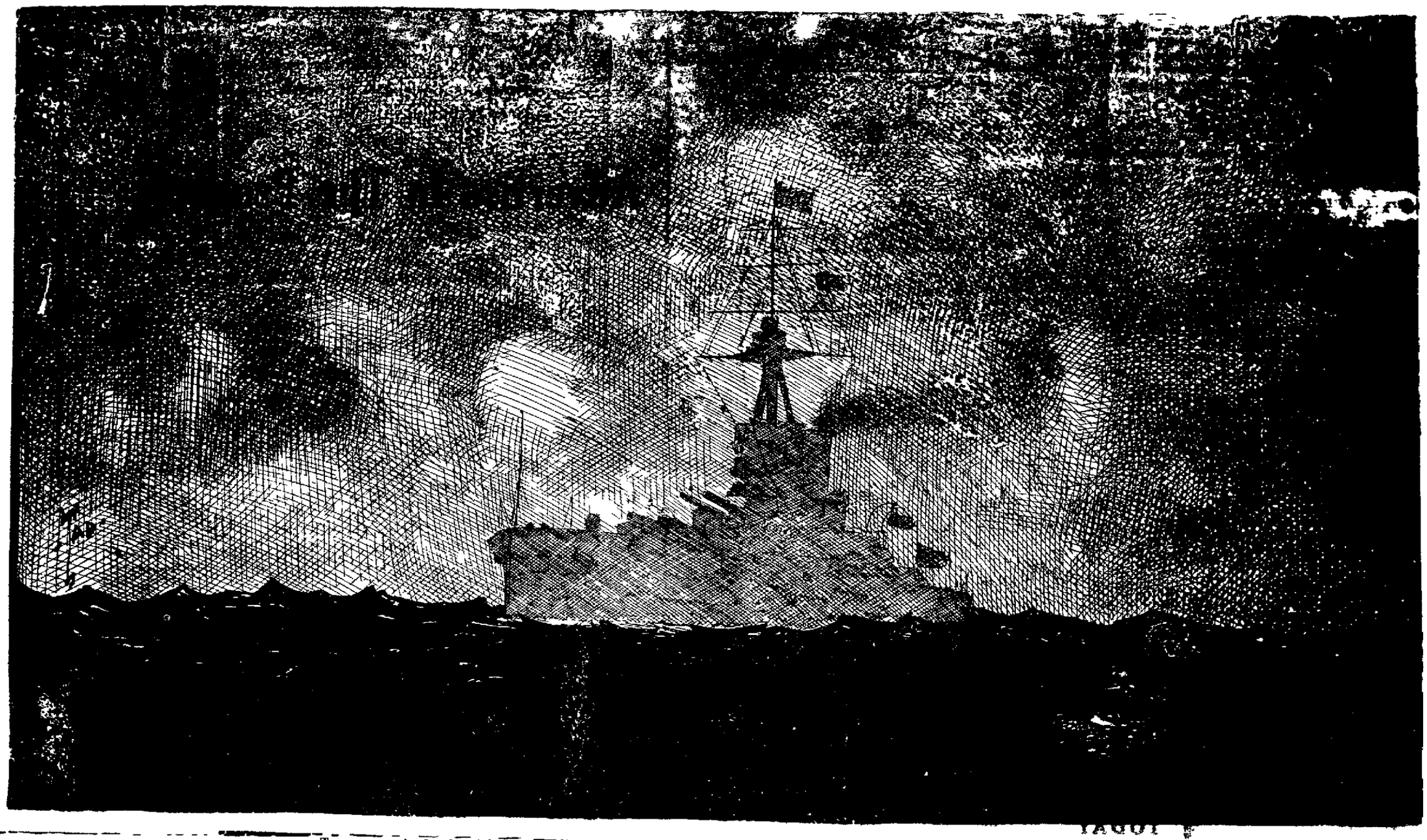

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IN THE MOVIES

THREE SPLENDID PICTURES AT OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT

In "Kate Waters of the Secret Service" we have a real detective play that has the added virtue, romance and human-interest; and it is a girl, young and charming, who tackles the big problem of running down the criminals, work that is usually left for men. The charcter of Kate Waters, along with the story, was conceived and put into form by Harry G. Strafford and Calder Johnston, both of the Universal's West Coast scenario department, and both experienced scenario writers. Basing plot on a domestic tragedy which happens at a United States army post, the writers have made a story which will, undoubtedly, hold you in a firm grip of suspense and mystery, which will appeal vividly to your taste for adventure and a good love story.

The play was especially written for Edna Maison, who is featured in the title role. Miss Maison has shown exceptional ability in this role of a girl who, as an agent of Uncle Sam, takes up the task of unravelling vague clues and matching her wits against hard circumstances and a bad man. It has afforded the leading lady chance to do a character study entirely original, away from anything heretofore attempted.

Shown this evening at the opera house.

The Sun's Rays.

It is a thrilling romance of the west wherein one man proves his worth in the eyes of the girl, by running down a band of train-robbers. Information about gold shipmnets had been leaking. The girl's discarded suitor, a clerk, had been using a mirror held to the sun, to signal information to the thieves.

Shown at the opera house tonight.

"Pay the Rent" is a laughable joker comedy, a series of funny plots and interesting incidents, at the opera house tonight.

Beatrice Van plays the part of a Y. W. C. A. secretary in "The Opened Shutters," a four-reel feature being produced at the Universal Hollywood studios by Otis Turner. Miss Van walked across the stage the other day and inspected the scenery.

"In the name of Heaven," she cried throwing up her hands, "does this lok like the Y. W. C. A.

"This scene," said Director Turner, "is a reproduction of the interior of one of the bigest associations in America."

"Ah" quoth Miss Van, "no wonder girls go wrong."

A short time afterward Mr. Turner was rehearsing her in her part. He told her to read from the Bible and explain it interestedly to her friend. She tried it and looked bored.

"I can't seem to get interested in the Bible," she said.

"All right", said Mr. Turner, "turn to the Songs of Solomon."

Miss Van turned to the Songs of Solomon, and when she was aroused from her reading a half hour later, she said:

"Why, really, has the scene been taken already?"

AEROPLANES IN TIME OF WARFARE

Airships Will Play Important Part In Present Conflict

ITALIANS LEAD IN TRAINING

(By International News Service)

The great conflict now raging among the powers of Europe promises to be only to be a struggle for supremacy on land and sea, but for supremacy in the air as well.

France, Russia and England will send their vast fleets against the giant Zeppelins of the Germans.

In a measure, the present European war will settle for all time the relative merits of the aeroplane and the dirigible balloon as engines of destruction. In the development of the latter type of aircraft Germany stands supreme. She has nine of the giant Zeppelins, fully equipped, and five more nearing completion. Work on these is being rushed with all possible speed. They range from 450 to 525 feet in length, are equipped with motors giving from 350 to 120 horse power, and carry light three inch guns which have been successfully fired in manoeuvers. They speed through the air at the rate of for y or fifty miles an hour.

All the Zeppelins are of the rigid type, the outer shell and framework being of aluminum construction. Inside the framework are the silk bags, as many as seventeen in some of the largest type, filled with hydrogen gas. The advantage of a number of small bags, lies in the ability of the airship to keep afloat with one or more of the bags punctured or out of commission.

Austria also has several rigid dirigibles and Italy has three of four. If Italy joins in with Germany and Austria, the Tripic Alliance will have at its disposal 31 of this type of aircraft.

On the other hand England, France and Russia can muster 34 gas bag airships, but they are all much smaller than the Zeppelins and are of the non-rigid or semi-rigid type.

The triple entente, formed by these three countries, will pin their faith to their aeroplanes rather than to the balloons. It is estimated that th entente has 1,860 aeroplanes against the 700 of alliance. France, especially, has developed the army aeroplane to a high state of efficiency and uses both the monoplane and the biplane, although the former predominates. For scouting work the monoplane has proved to be most successful because of the greater speed it can attain and the fewer chances of discovery by the enemy.

The Italian aviators are the only airmen who received actual training in aerial warfare. Italians successfully used aeroplanes in their campaign in Tripoli and also attained a certain measure of success with semi-rigid dirgibles.

England has one fast, though small is the Astra Torres IV, which recently made fifty-one miles an hour against a twelve mile wind. It is of the non-rigid type and can be deflated and packed aboard a warship. The Vickers and Armstrong firms are now constructing two rigid airships for the British admirality. These, when completed, will resemble the Zeppelins. England also has one naval Farsevel, 270 feet long. The Autra Torres is slightly smaller. There are also four other airships, from 100 to 150 feet in length. France has 15 dirigibles attached to her army. These range from 275 to 325 feet in length. The Spiess, the largest of the French fleet, is rigid. There is also under construction another Spiess which will be 450 feet long.

Austria has but three airships in condition for use, a collision about a month ago having destroyed one of the Austrian army baloons.

Little is known of the Russian dirigibles. She has thirteen small low speed craft. Like England and France she has concentrated on the aeroplane.

OBITUARY

The funeralo f George Morgan took place from the St. Francis church this morning at 9:00 o'clock. Interment was made in the St. Francis cemetery. Mr. Morgan died Thursday evening, August 6. He is survived by Lawrence Morgan, of Philipsburg, a brother, and Lawrence Morgan, of Walnut street, a nephew, besides several relatives in Philipsburg.

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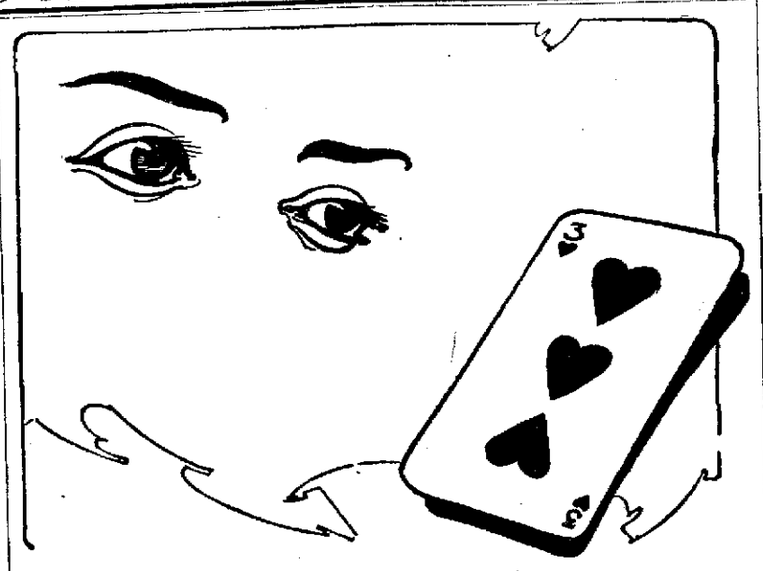

Can You Find the $50,000 Photographs?

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When the moving picture action for Louis Joseph Vance's new and sensational novel, "The Trey O' Hearts," was being outlined something happened.

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Coal Mines to Close.

It is reported that a number of coal mines in this region will be temporarily closed soon because of the slump in the eastern market resulting from the war in Europe. The Beaverdale mines are closed and it is said the Patton mines will be shut down in a short time.

Carminia Arrives in Safety.

Queenstown, Ireland, Aug. 8—The Cunard liner Carminia, carrying $11-418,000 in gold, arrived here safely yesterday.

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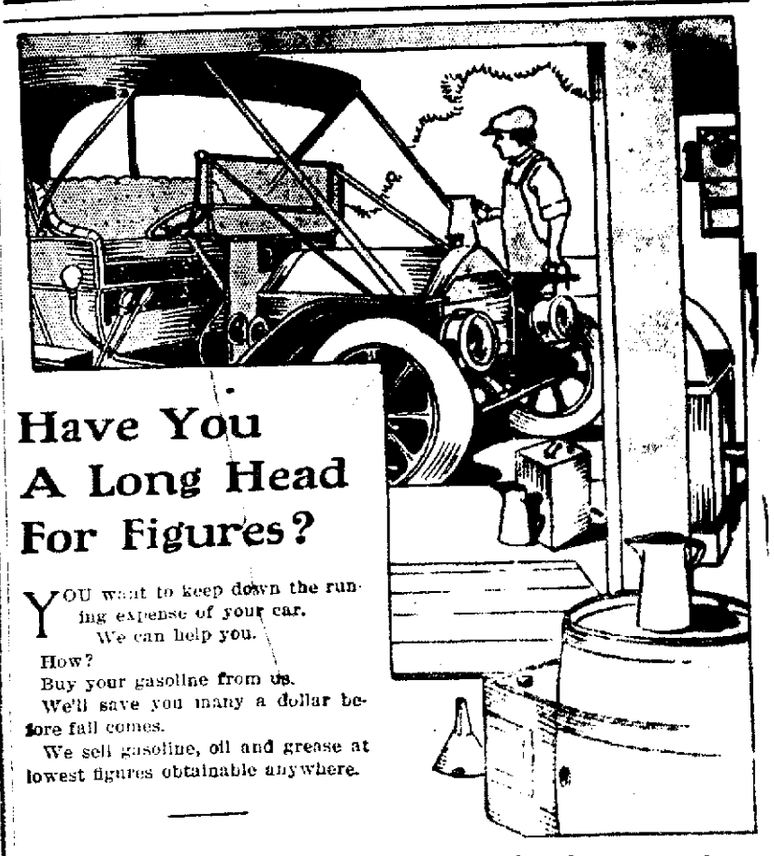

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LIEGE ATTACK BY GERMANS CONTINUE

(Continued from 1st page.)

freely the courage and tenacity of the Belgian troops. The prisoners were treated with consideration, and on the way to Brussels were supplied at the stations with beer and bread.

Trains filled with wounded and fugitive noncombatants arrived here this morning from Liege and neighboring towns. The military trains with prisoners on board, were sent from Liege to Antwerp.

The Belgian troops appeared to be in the best of spirits when the train left Liege. They declared that if there had not been ten Germans to one Belgian, not one German would have got through their lines. Many of the Belgians were much exhausted having fought for fifty hours without rest.

Some wounded Belgians, eye witnesses of the fighting, say they saw Germans mowed down by hundreds in front of the trenches and entrenchments by the gun and rifle fire of the Belgians, but that they were replaced by others who crawled forward like weasels. In certain places in the fighting zone, the ground was covered with dead, the burial of which, it was said, would take at least a week.

Defender's Astonishing Valor.

The astonishing valor of the defenders of Liege has inspired the whole of Belgium with a quickened determination to fight to the last ditch to prevent a violation of the rights of the fatherland. The people are helping to the utmost, opening their houses as hospitals. Many of the large stores are filled with beds and red crosses are painted on the doors.

French Troops to the Rescue.

Two columns of French troops have reached Belgium and Luxemburg. The advance guards drove in the German outposts near the frontier.

British Troops Disembarking.

Paris, Aug. 8—The French war ministry this morning stated that a large body of British troops are disembarking on the north coast of France and are expected to cooperate with the French in driving the Germans from that part of France.

Is Kiel Canal Blocked?

Copenhagen, Aug. 8.—Fourteen warships have passed northward through the great belt leading from Kiel bay to Cattiega.

It is believed that the Kiel canal is blockaded, otherwise the fleet would have utilized it in its voyage.

Montenegro Declares War.

Cettinje, Montenegro, Aug. 8.—The Montenegran parliament today declared war against Austria and will join that countries opponents.

German Ships Seized.

Antwerp, Ang. 8.—The Belgian government has seized 34 German steamers and two sailing ships here.

More Protests from Germans.

Washington, Aug. 8. — Counsellor Heinmausen, of the German embassy, protests against the state department of the United States for refusing to permit sailing ships carrying reservists to Germany.

Secretary Bryan also announced: "The German charge" has informed me he feels sure the detention of the Americans is not due to an order forbidding them to leave, but due to the government's utilizing all transportation during the mobilization."

Seven War Declarations.

nadd old war.

Eight Declarations in Ten Days.

Eight declarations of war in ten days. This is the record of Europe since July 28. The declarations in the general European war have been as follows:

July 28—Austria declared war on Servia.

Aug. 1—Germany declared war on Russia.

Aug. 4—Germany declared war on Belgium.

Aug. 4—Germany declared war on France.

Aug. 4—Germany and England declared war on each other.

Aug. 6—Austria declared war on Russia.

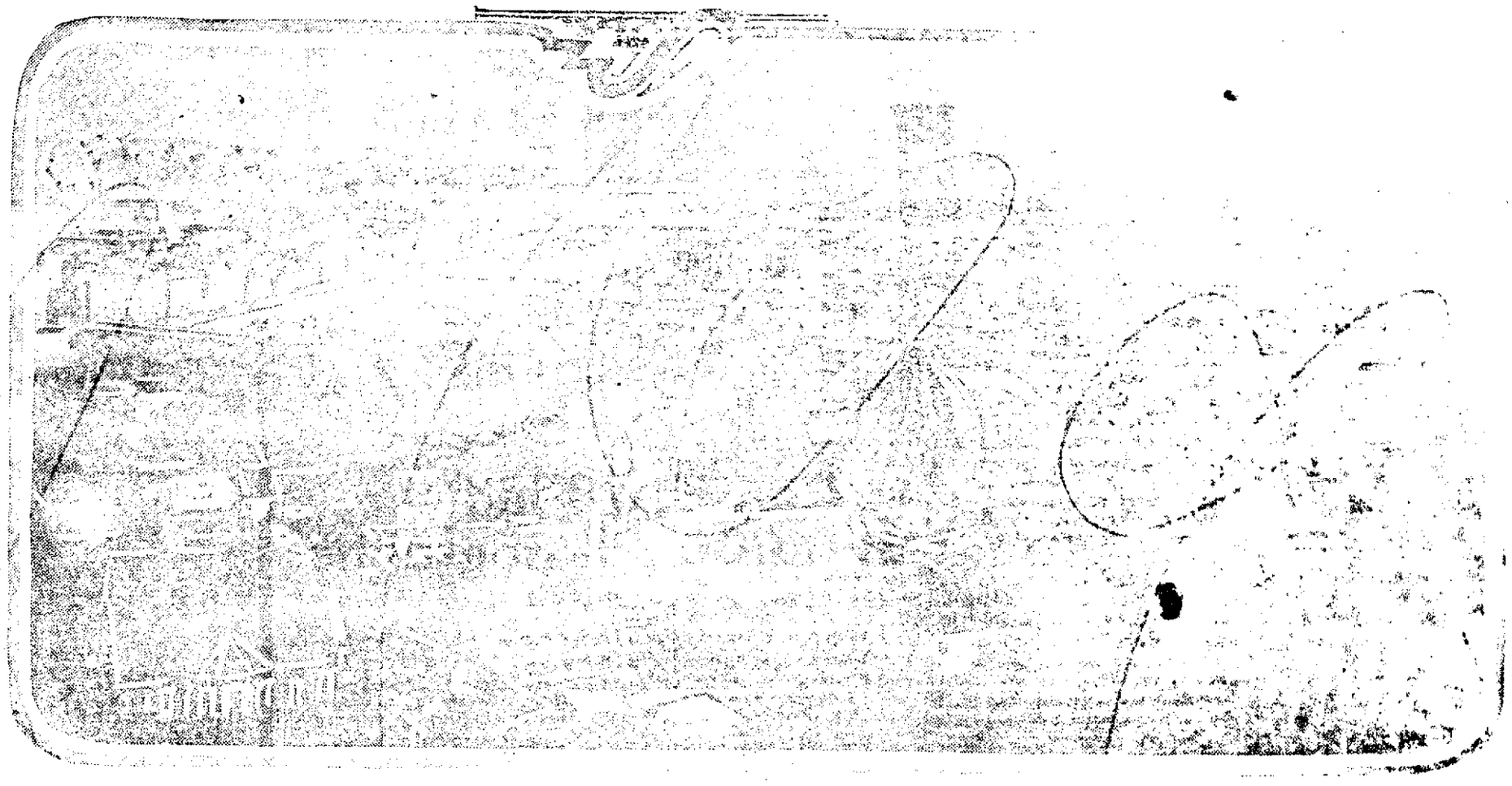
Aug. 7—Italy declared war on Germany.

Chicken and Biscuit.

On Wednesday, August 12, a chicken and biscuit supper will be served in new Allen A. M. E. church basement, from 5 to 7 o'clock. Price, 35 cents. The menu includes stewed chicken, biscuit, creamed potatoes, string beans, lettuce and tomato salad, coffee. Ice cream and cake extra.

Many Foreigners Naturalized

During the last week 100 foreigners have taken out naturalization papers at the prothontory's office. Forty of these were taken out today. Since the breaking out of war in Europe aliens all over the country are taking means to become American citizens.



STUBBORN BELGIAN DEFENSE OF LIEGE EARNS WORLD'S APPLAUSE.

Liege as seen from the old fort of La Chartreuse.

With valor seldom equalled, never surpassed, a comparatively small force of Belgian patriots is holding the city of Liege against an invading army of 200,000 Germans under the command of the Crown Prince. While one part of the Belgian army is holding Liege against the invaders, another is digging trenches and throwing up breast works behind the city. When the German artillery forces the evacuation of Liege the invaders will meet an equally stubborn defense just back of the city.

$206,000,000 ON ROADS IN 1913

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nual expenditure for roads is more than two and a half times as great as it was nine year ago.

The fact that the states for 1914 have appropriated nearly $43,000,000, or an increase of more than $4,000,000, over the 1913 appropriation, and an increase of nearly $12,000,000 over the 1912 state appropriation, indicates an increased interest in the state development of good roads. The mileage of roads built with the aid of state funds to the close of 1913 aggregated nearly 21,000 miles, only about 2,000 miles less than the famous national road system of France.

It is interesting to note that, as the table shows, there are now but nine states that set aside no state fund for road building, and there are only seven states which now have no state highway law.

The table shows that automobile owners paid in licenses and fees in 1913, $7,820,895, nearly all of which was applied to road work. This sum is about one-thirtieth of the total state and local eepndeiture for roads.

Pennsylvania's figures ars as follow:

Total construction, maintenance and admininstration to Jan. 1, 1914: $20,710,8839.

Total in 1913, $4,606,232.

AUSTRIAN SHELLS CONTINUE TO FALL

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building in the hope that the neutral flag would be respected by the Austrians.

Serb Guns Silence Artillery.

Belgrade, via London, Aug. 8—The Sixth regiment of Austrian artillery opened fire on the Servians at noon yesterday near Obrenovatz, on the river Save, to the west of Belgrade. The Servian guns quickly silenced the Austrians, who abandoned two damaged guns.

Bulgarians Joining Austrians.

Athers, via London, Aug. 8—A telegram from Nish, Servia, states that bands of Bulgarian volunteers are forming along the southwest frontier to replace the Austrian troops which have been withdrawn to the Russian line.

Trinity M. E.

Rev. George W. Leidey, a former pastor of Trinity M. E. church, now assistant pastor of Pine street church, Williamsport, will preach in Trinity Sunday morning.

Rev. Mr. Leidy is the guest of Hon. Frank G. Harris and will remain in Clearfield over Sunday.

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BIG LOAF

Russia Calls 6,000,000 to Arms to Meet Germans

(By International News Service.)

St. Petersburg, Aug. 8.—Virtually the whole population of Russia capable of bearing arms has been called to the colors. This make a total of more than 6,000,000. Mobilization is virtually completed.

All automobiles and bicycles have been commandeered by the war department, and all race horses have been appropriated.

The Austro-Hungarian ambassador to Russia, accompanied by his staff and eighty Austrian subjects, left yesterday morning. They are proceeding to Vienna, by way of Finland and Sweden.

News from the front is confined to brief notes of unimportant skirmishing by cavalry scouting parties on the frontier.

The belief is growing here that the Germans plan is to put her entire force across the western frontier of the country. In that case Russia does not propose to delay her attack to suit the German program.

Russian Navy Bottled Up.

Stockholm, via London, Aug. 8.—A Finn is sea captain who has arrived here, reports that the Russian navy is bottled up at Helsingfors, while Reval and Libau have been taken by the Germans after a furious battle and are in ruins. The report is not credited by the best informed here.

In the Neighborhood.

Hampton—Dinwiddow told me his family is very old. They were one of the first to come across.

Rhodes.—The grocer told me yesterday that now they are the last to come across.—Judge.

"So you went in search of a sylvan spot of some description?"

"Yes."

"Did you find one?"

"No. I went into the country—but I never heard so many pianos and phonographs and automobiles in my life."—Washington Star.

WILL LIGHT TREASURE SHIP UP LIKE CONEY ISLAND.

Captain Becker of the Tennessee and Assistant Secretary of War Breckenridge, photographed on the deck of the Tennessee just before she sailed.

New York, Aug. 8.—"I'll light her up like Coney Island." This was Captain Davis' reply to a question put to him just before the cruiser Tennessee, carrying $8,000,000 in gold, for Americans stranded in European countries, departed for foreign countries. The captain said he would not sail with the lights of his ship out.

Fatally Hurt at Medix Run.

Charles Arndt, of Medix Run, an engineer employed at the Gleason tannery, was run over Thursday morning and injured so severely that he died in the Lock Haven hospital yesterday morning.

Married in Cumberland.

George W. Crain, of Osceola, and Miss Ethel Gilbert, of Houtzdale, were married in Cumberland, Md., on Wednesday of this week. The young people will have the best wishes of their many friends.

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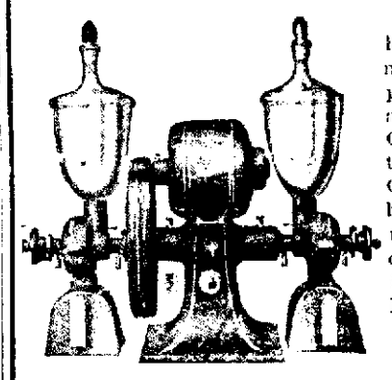
Good Morning! Was Your Coffee Good This Morning?



Perhaps the Coffee was all right but was not properly ground. It makes a lot of difference how it is prepared. That's why we have installed a new model HOBART ELECTRIC COFFEE MILL to give our trade better service. We could not buy better Coffees but we found a way to make a big improvement in the grinding. This new mill will Granulate just as fine or coarse as anybody may want it. And it will PULVERIZE just right for a Drip Pot. And it is a pleasure for our clerks to give you just what you want—while you wait, if you desire.

Let us show you "HOW MUCH BETTER," we can serve you.

"GOOD COFFEE" HEADQUARTERS

ROSS & WOODS

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Building Two Fire Company Houses

Sealed Proposals will be received by the Town Council of Clearfield Borough, until 8:00 o'clock, P. M. Wednesday, August 19th, 1914, for the erection of **A Fire Company House On Daisy Street, Fourth Ward,** and **A Fire Company House On Witmer Street, Second Ward.**

Plans, form of Specifications, Proposal Sheets, etc., can be seen and obtained at the Office of the Borough Engineer, Kratzer Building.

Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for $50.00 as a gurantee of good faith. Checks will be returned upon the award of a contract, or the rejection of a proposal.

Bidder to whom award of contract is made will be required to execute a corporate bond for the satisfactory completion of the work, in a sum equal to the amount of the bid.

The Council Reserves The Right To Reject Any Or All Bids.

By order of the Council,
Frederick B. Kerr,
President.

Attest:—
J. D. Connelly, Secretary.
Dated August 6th, 1914.

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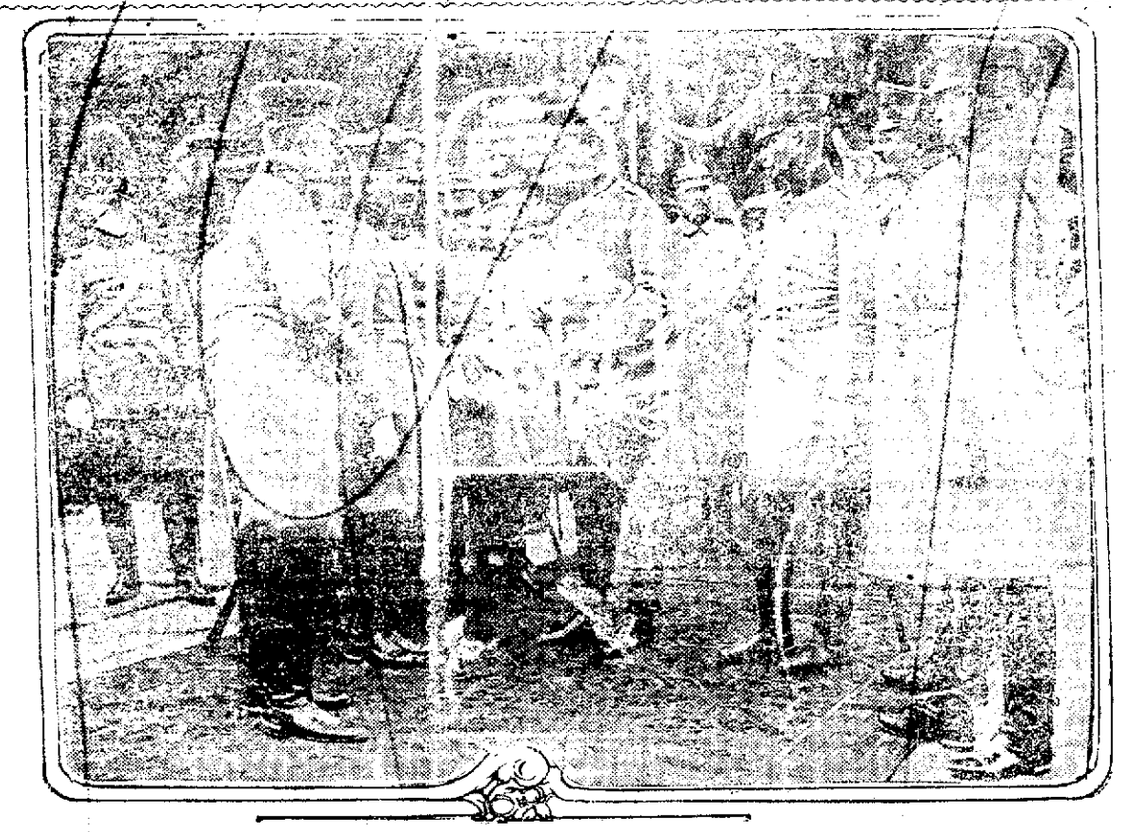
LIEGE ATTACK BY GERMANS CONTINUES



GERMAN INFANTRY AND ARTILLERY AND CROWN PRINCE WHO LEADS THEM.

German artillery on heavy road (above). Infantry crossing pontoon bridge, and Crown Prince Frederick Wilhelm.

The crown prince and his 100,000 men have joined General Emmich in the attack on Liege, Belgium, and the combined forces are having a desperate strugle in which the Germans are said to lost 10,000 men and have not inflicted much damage on their opponents.

FIERCE ASSAULT ON BELGIAN CITY RENEWED BY ARTILLERY TODAY

The Assaultis Doing Great Damage, But at Feraful to the Germans

BRANDENBERG REGIMENT MOWED DOWN

None of the Forts in Liege Have Been Captured. But Their Shells Have Killed a Considerable Number, Among the Dead Being Many Non-Combatants—War Ministry of Belgium States That the Germans Have Lost 15,000 Since They Began the Attack on Liege—The Belgians Have Taken 500 Prisoners—Belgian Losses Have Been Less Than Those of the Assailants.

(By International News Service.)

Liege, Aug. 8.—The German forces this morning renewed their desperate attack upon the city of Liege, during the prevalence of a heavy storm.

Brandenberg Guards Mowed Down

Brussels, Aug. 8.—The Brandenberg Guards, one of the finest German regiments, was mowed down while attacking Fort Barchon and then blown up by a mine.

Fifteen hundred of the Guards are reported to have been killed or injured.

Germans Lost 15,000.

The war ministry issued a statement today that the Germans lost 15,000 killed and wounded in the assault of Liege. The Belgian losses were much smaller. The Belgians took 500 prisoners.

The report sent out yesterday that the Germans had asked an armistice of twenty-four hours is denied here.

Both Armies Bury Their Dead.

Both armies suspended hostilities two hours last evening and gathered their wounded.

The Germans did not capture any of the forts, but the sheils from their artillery did great damage, many non-combatants being among the killed.

The conflict continues today.

German Losses Are Fearful.

The storm has delayed the crown prince with reinforcements for the German troops.

The battle at Liege continues intermittently, extending to the entire chain of forts. The German assault is not slackened, but their losses are fearful.

Report of Thursday's Fight.

Brussels, via London, Aug. 8.—The Germans before Liege on Friday requested a twenty-four hours' armistice, according to an announcement made by the Belgian ministry of war yesterday evening. At the ministry it was stated that the Germans admitted their casualties numbered 25,000.

It is assumed the Germans asked for an armistice in order to pick up their dead and wounded.

The Belgian general staff thus far has not yet acted on the request. It is deliberating whether the plea is made in good faith or whether it is an attempt of the invaders to delay the fighting until reinforcements, now on the way, headed by the crown prince reach Liege.

Mowed Down Enmasse.

All reports of the fighting at Liege agree that the German infantry advanced in masses, holding to absolutely close order. This resulted in heavy casualties.

Earlier in the day it was reported the attack on Liege had been abandoned, and that the Germans retired to the left of the River Meuse. It is believed this was followed by the request for armistice.

Praise Belgian Courage.

German prisoners, whom a correspondent questioned, acknowledged

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$285,000,000 IN ROADS IN 1913

States Have Been Liberal in Highway Expenditures

PENNSYLVANIA STANDS SECOND

This State Expended $1,606,000 in Construction, Maintenance and Salaries Last Year—Automobiles Contributed Nearly $8,000,000 to Road Building in the Several States.

The total state expenditures for roads during the year 1913, the amount of state aided roads complete in that year, and the total mileage of improved and unimproved roads, have been tabulated by the United States department of agriculture.

The local cash road and bridge expenditures on the part of counties, districts and townships have not yet been compiled for 1913. The figures for 1912 are given, however, and it is estimated that they are 10 per cent lower than those for the year 1913. The table shows that in 1913 there was a total expenditure of state funds for roads of approximately $38,750,000. The local road expenditures, if a 10 per cent increase over 1912 is correct, would amount to $151,265,000. In addition, there must be counted approximately $15,000,000 the value of statute labor in working out the road tax. It makes a total outlay for roads in 1913 of about $206,000,000.

In 1904 the total expenditures for roads aggregated a little less than $80,000,000, so that the present an-

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FRENCH WIN BIG VICTORY OVER GERMAN INVADERS

Two Armies Fight Terrific Battle in Luxemburg Territory, in which German Troops Suffered Heavily at the Hands of the French

BRUSSELS WAR OFFICE CONFIRMS REPORT

The Two Armies Met in a Clash in Luxemburg, While the French Troops Were Believed to be on their Way to the Relief of the Besieged City of Liege—French Said to Have Captured Many Prisoners—Brussels War Office Confirms the News and Says French Victory Was Complete.

(By International News Service.)

Brussels, Aug. 8.—It is reported here that the German and French armies began a terriffic battle today in both Belgian and Luxemburg territory.

The French troops are supposed to be those on their way to relieve the Belgians at Liege.

Report of French Victory.

London, Aug. 8.—The Daily Mail correspondent sent a dispatch from Brussels this morning, stating that in the fight in Luxemburg the French troops won a big victory over the Germans.

Report is Confirmed.

Brussels, Aug. 8.—The war office confirms the announcement of the defeat of the Bavarian army by the French north of Luxemburg.

The French victory is said to have been decisive. Many Germans were taken prisoners.

A. L. COLE SENDS WORD THAT HE'S NOT SERIOUSLY ILL

Word was received from Denver, Colorado, on Wednesday that A. L. Cole, Esq., was seriously ill at that city. Mrs. Cole left on Thursday to join her husband, and during her absence a telegram was received from Mr. Cole himself, to the effect that the report of his serious illness had been exaggerated, as he was not sick at all. Mrs. Cole did not learn of this telegram and is on her way to Denver, where she will join her husband in his health-seeking visit.

Telegraphic Weather Report.

(By International News Service)

Fair tonight and Sunday; fair in south, unsettled in north portion.

Japanese Prepare to Enter War

(By International News Service.)

Tokio, Aug. 8—The reserve army officers have been instructed to hold themselves in readiness for posible mobilization.

A flying squadron of seven cruisers has been organized at Yokosuka. Prince Fushimi is in command. The battleship squadron has been increased to eight vessels and is ready for service. Admiral Kato is in command.

Fortifications at Vladivostok, Asiatic Russia, and at Saigon, the French posession in China, have been strengthened to meet a possible bombardment of German warship.

An authentic report received here states that the German squadron has been bottled up at Tsing-Tau by the British.

AUSTRIAN SHELLS CONTINUE TO FALL

Bombardment of Belgrade Has Been a Daily Event

REPORTS OF AUSTRIAN ROUT

Servians Said to Have Silenced Battery and Forced Austrian Retreat—Bulgarians are Joining the Austrians and Fighting Against the Serbs.

Belgrade, Aug. 5 (Delayed in transmission)—Bombardment of Belgrade by the Austrians, which began without notice on July 29, has continued almost steadily since. The capital was crowded with women and children when the Austrian artillery opened fire and there was a rush for the country, but the people were obliged to return because of the concentration of food supplies here.

In the first few days of the fighting the people were terror-stricken, but gradually they became calmer and the merchants reopened their shops.

The royal palace, the British and German legations and most of the larger buildings of the city have been struck by shells. The legations and consulate are filled with frightened nationals, who had gathered at the

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Italy Hasn't Made War Declaration

(By International News Service.)

London, Aug. 8.—Marquis Imperial, of Italy, Ambassador to England, today authorized the International News Service to make absolute denial of the statement purporting to have been sent out of London saying he announced that Italy had declared war on Germany.

German Americans Protest.

(By International News Service)

Washington, Aug. 8.—The German-American chamber of commerce of New York protests against the United States censoring the German wireless station at Sayville, Long Island, whilst French and English cables are operating unrestricted.

Marriage Licenses.

Harry Friedman nd Anna Cohen, both of Coalpert.

Samuel C. Beer, of DuBois, and Ethel I. Durnik, of Punxsutawney.

SHERIFF McCLOSKEY ADDS SEVERAL TO JAIL FAMILY

Since Tuesday of this week the following alleged offenders against the laws of the commonwealth have joined the family of Sheriff McCloskey at thec ounty jail:

Paul Resch, aged 16, charged with burglary at Chester Hill.

Dominic Kogloskey, aged 20, of Madera, charged with statutory rape on a little girl.

Joe Shubert, Jr., aged 15, of LaJose, charged with larceny and threats.

There are a half dezen juvenile prisoners at the County home, the sheriff being unable to accommodate them in the county prison.

PROGRESS KEEPS THE PUBLIC INFORMED ON EUROPEAN WAR

The Clearfield correspondent of the week, says:

Madera Hustler, in his letter this The Progress, one of Clearfield's daily papers, is keeping the public informed by telegraphic dispatches of the European situation, which makes their office the scene of great activity, as crowds are constantly there to get the news.

Funeral of Mrs. Wilson Will be Held Monday

(By International News Service.)

Washington, Aug. 8.—The funeral of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson will be held Monday at 2 o'clock in the East room of the White House. This arrangement depends upon the arrival of Prof. Stockton Axson, brother of the deceased.

Rev. Sylvester Beach, of Princeton, will likely officiate, assisted by Rev. ames P. Taylor, the president's pastor, Central Presbyterian church Washington.

The cabinet will probably be honorary pall bearers. Afterward the journey begins to Rome, Ga., for the final rites on Tuesday. The party will return to Washington Wednesday night.

Persistent Report of a North Sea Naval Fight

(By International News Service)

London, Aug. 8.—The Daily Mail published a dispatch today from Holland, stating that 19 German warships were sunk in the North sea battle with the British fleet.

That the British and German fleets have clashed in the North sea is the report coming from many sources, despite denials of an engagement at the British admiralty. Some of these reports insist that England has won a "glorious victory." There is absolutely no way at present of verifying the reports. That there has at least been action, is admitted at the admiralty which yesterday declared that English shipping is now safe, as the German ships have been driven toward the Netherlands. The fact that the Germans are said to have fled toward home waters is accepted everywhere as meaning that England's power on the sea is supreme.

Heavy Firing Was Heard.

From the coast cities as far north as the upper Scotch border reports of heavy firing at sea are arriving. This firing is said to be stronger than yesterday, indicating that, while yesterday the fighting was confined to lightly armed vessels, the heavy craft were today taking part in it.

Trawles arriving at Whitby reported that they had seen destroyers in action. One ship owner said that he knew that 10 German craft had been sunk by the guns of the British war fleet. He refused to indicate the source of his information.

Answering a volley from inquirers in parliament today, Home Secretary McKenna stated that there is no foundation for the reports of a naval battle off Holland.

This May Explain Denial.

There is a mutual agreement among all the London papers to observe silence as to the movements of the English army and navy.

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The Adventures of Kathlyn

By HAROLD MAC GRATH

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Umballa entered at once his secret chamber, and food and water were brought, one of the women acting as bearer, on the morning after the guards arrived, and Umballa knew not how long he might have to wait. Through one of the women he sent a verbal message to the majordomo, with the result that each day he learned what was taking place in the palace. So they hunted for the king?

He was very well satisfied. He had had his revenge; and more than this, he was confident when the time came he would also gain his liberty. He had a ransom to pay: the king himself!

Now, then, Ramabai felt it incumbent on him to hold a banquet in the palace, there to state to his friends, native and white, just what he intend-

"I Will Tell All. I Am Dying!"

ed to do. And on the night of this sober occasion he sat in the throne room before a desk littered with documents. As he finished writing a note he summoned the majordomo.

"Have this delivered at once to Hare Sahib, whom you will find at his bungalow outside the city. Tell him also that he must be present tonight, he, his friend, and his daughters. It is of vital importance."

Pundita, who was staring out of the window, turned and asked her lord what he was sending the Colonel Sahib hat he could not give him at the banquet.

"A surprise, an agreeable surprise."

The majordomo cocked his ears; but Ramabai said nothing more.

At the colonel's bungalow there was rejoicing. Ramabai had written that since the king could not be found he would head the provisional government as regent, search for and arrest Umballa, and at any time the Colonel Sahib signified would furnish him with a trusty escort to the railway, three days' journey away. He added, however, that he hoped the Colonel Sahib would be good enough to remain till order was established.

The majordomo contrived to tarry long enough to overhear as much of the conversation as needed—for he understood English—and then returned to the city to carry the news to Umballa. To him Umballa gave a white powder.

"Tonight, you say, Ramabai gives a banquet?"

"Yes, huzoor."

"Well, put this in his cup and your obligation to me is paid."

The majordomo stared a long time at that little packet of powder. A cold sweat formed upon his brow under his turban.

"Well?" said Umballa, ironically.

"Huzoor, it is murder!"

Umballa shrugged and held out his hand for the packet.

The majordomo swallowed a few times and bowed his head. "It shall be done, huzoor. My life is yours to do with as you please. I have said it."

"Begone, then, and bring me the news on the morrow that Ramabai is dead. You alone know where the king is. Should they near the hut in which I have hidden him, see that he is killed. He is also useless."

The major domo departed with heavy heart. Ramabai was an honest man; but Durga Ram had spoken.

At the banquet, with its quail and pheasant, its fruits and flowers, its rare plates and its rarer goblets for the light wines high castes permitted themselves occasionally to drink, Ramabai toyed idly with his goblet and thoughtlessly pushed it toward Kathlyn, who sat at his right.

Imbued with a sense of gratitude for Ramabai's patience and kindness and assistance through all her dreadful ordeals, Kathlyn sprang up suddenly and without looking reached for what she supposed to be her own goblet, but inadvertently her hand came in contact with Ramabai's. What she had in mind to say was never spoken.

The majordomo stood appalled. This wonderful white woman over whom the gods watched as they watched the winds and the rains, of whom he had not dared speak to Umballa. She? No! He saw that he himself must die. He seized the goblet ere it reached her lips, drank, and flung it aside empty. He was as good as dead, for there were no antidotes for poisons Umballa gave. Those seated about the table were too astonished to stir. The majordomo put his hand to his eyes, reeled, steadied himself; and [illegible] Ramabai understood.

"[illegible]" he gasped, springing up and catching the majordomo by the shoulders. "Poison, and it was meant for me. Speak!"

"Lord, I will tell all. I am dying!"

It was a strange tale of misplaced loyalty and gratitude, but it was peculiarly oriental. And when they learned that Umballa was hidden in his own house and the king in a hut outside the city they knew that God was just, whatever his prophet's name might be. Before he died the majordomo explained the method of entering the secret chamber.

The quail and pheasant, the fruits and wine remained untouched. The hall become deserted almost immediately. To the king first; to the king! Tha Umballa should pay his debt.

They found the poor king in the hut, in a pitiable condition. He laughed and babbled and smiled and wept as they led him away. But in the secret chamber which was to have held Umballa there was no living thing.

For Umballa had, at the departure of the majordomo, conceived a plan for rehabilitation so wide in its ramifications, so powerful and whelming, that nothing could stay it once it was set in motion. The priests, the real rulers of Asia; the wise and patient gurus, who held the most compelling of all scepters, superstition! Double fool that he had been not to have thought of this before! He knew that they hated Ramabai, who in religion was an outcast and a pariah, who worshiped but a single God whom none had ever seen, of whom no idol had been carved and set up in a temple.

Superstition!

Umballa threw off his robes and donned his candy seller's tatters, left the house without being questioned by the careless guard, and sought the chief temple.

Superstition!

To cow the populace, to bring the troops to the mark, with threats of curses, famine, plague, eternal damnation! Superstition! And this is why Ramabai and his followers found the empty chamber.

CHAPTER XXII.

Allaha's Real King Killed.

In the rear of the temple Umballa sought was a small chamber which was used by the priests when they desired to rest or converse privately, which was often. The burning temple lamps of brass emphasized the darkness of the room rather than dispelled it. A shadow occasionally flickered through the amber haze—an exploring bat. A dozen or more priests stood in one of the dim corners, from which their own especial idol winked at them with eyes like coals blown upon. The Krishna of the Ruby eyes, an idol known far and wide but seen by few.

In the temple itself there was a handful of tardy worshipers. The heat of the candles, the smell of the eternal lotus flower and smoking incense sticks made even the huge vault stifling. Many of the idols were bejeweled or patched with beaten gold leaf, and many had been coveted by wandering white men, who, when their endeavor became known, disappeared mysteriously and were never more known in the haunts of men.

A man in tatters appeared suddenly in the great arched doorway. His turban came down almost to his eyes and a neckcloth covered his mouth. All that could be seen of him in the matter of countenance was a pair of brilliant eyes and predatory nose. He threw a quick, piercing glance about, assured himself that such devotees as he saw were harmless, then strode boldly if hurriedly toward the rear chamber, which he entered without ado. Instantly the indignant priests rushed toward him to expel him and give him a tongue-lashing for his impudence, when a hand was thrust out, and they beheld upon a finger a great green stone. They stopped as suddenly as though they had met an invisible electric [illegible]

The curtain fell behind the man in tatters, and he remained motionless for a space. A low murmuring among the priests ensued, and presently one of their number — the youngest — passed out and stationed himself before the curtain. Not even a privileged dancing girl might enter now.

The man in tatters stepped forward. He became the center of the group; his gestures were quick, tense, authoritative. At length priest turned to priest, and the wrinkled faces became more wrinkled still: smiles.

"Highness," said the eldest, "we had thought of this, but you did not make us your confidant."

"Till an hour gone it had not occurred to me. Shall Ramabai, then, become your master, to set forth the propaganda of the infidel?"

"No!" The word was not spoken loudly, but sibilantly, with something resembling a hiss. "No!"

"And shall a king who has no mind, no will, no strength, resume his authority? Perhaps to bring more white people into Allaha, perhaps to give Allaha eventually to the British raj?"

Again the negative.

"But the method?"

Umballa smiled. "What brings the worshiper here with candles and flowers and incense? Is it love or reverence or superstition?"

The bald yellow heads nodded like porcelain mandarins.

"Superstition," went on Umballa, "the sword which bends the knees of the layman, has and always will through the ages!"

In the vault outside a bell tinkled, a gong boomed melodiously.

"When I give the sign," continued the schemer, "declare the curse upon all those who do not bend. A word from your lips, and Ramabai's troops vanish, reform, and become yours and mine!"

"While the king lives?" asked the chief priest curiously.

"Ah!" And Umballa smiled again. "But you, Durga Ram?"

"There is Ramabai, a senile king, and I. Which for your purposes will you choose?"

There was a conference. The priests drifted away from Umballa. He did not stir. His mien was proud and haughty, but for all that his knees shook and his heart thundered. He understood that it was to be all or nothing, no middle course, no half methods. He waited, wetting his cracked lips and swollen lips. When the priests returned to him, their heads bent before him a little. It represented a salaam, as much as they had ever given to the king himself. A glow ran over Umballa.

"Highness, we agree. There will be terms."

"I will agree to them without question."

Life and power again; real power! These doddering fools should serve him, thinking the while that they served themselves.

"Half the treasury must be paid to the temple."

"Agreed!" Half for the temple and half for himself; and the abolishment of the seven leopards. "With this stipulation: Ramabai is yours, but the white people are to be mine."

The priests signified assent.

And Umballa smiled in secret. Ramabai would be dead on the morrow.

"There remains the king," said the chief priest.

Umballa shrugged.

The chief priest stared soberly at the lamp above his head. The king would be, then, Umballa's affair.

"He is ill?"

"He is moribund . . . Silence!" warned Umballa.

The curtains became violently agitated. They heard the voice of the young priest outside raised in protest, to be answered by the shrill tones of a woman.

"You are mad!"

"And thou art a stupid fool!"

Umballa's hand fell away from his dagger.

"It is a woman," he said. "Admit her."

The curtains were thrust aside, and the painted dancing girl who had saved Umballa from death or capture

Where Was the Document He Had Given His Friend Hare?

in the fire of his own contriving rushed in. Her black hair was studded with turquoise, a necklace of amber gleamed like gold around her neck, and on her arms and ankles a plenitude of silver bracelets and ankiets. With her back to the curtains, the young priest staring curiously over her shoulders, she presented a picturesque tableau.

"Well?" said Umballa, who understood that she was here from no idle whim.

"Highness, you must hide with me this night."

"Indeed?"

"Or die," coolly.

Umballa sprang forward and seized her roughly.

"What has happened?"

"I was in the zenana, highness, visiting my sister, whom you had transferred from the palace. All at once we heard shouting and trampling of feet, an a moment later your house was overrun with men. They had found the king in the hut and had taken him to the palace. That they did not find you is because you came here."

"Tell me all."

"It seems that the majordomo gave the poison to Ramabai, but the white goddess . . ."

"The white goddess!" cried Umballa, as if stung by a cobra's fang.

"Ay, highness. She did not die on that roof. Nothing can harm her. It is written."

"And I was never told!"

She lived, lived, and all the terrors he had evoked for her were as naught! Umballa was not above superstition himself for all his European training. Surely this girl of the white people was imbued with something more than mortal. She lived!

"Go on!" he said, his voice subdued as was his soul.

"The white goddess by mistake took Ramabai's goblet and was about to drink when the majordomo seized the goblet and drained the poison himself.

WOODLAND.

The baseball team from Bigler came to Woodland on Wednesday evening and played a very interesting game, but the Woodland boys beat them as the score was 5-4 in favor of Woodland. Some fine players in our town.

A crowd of young people from Clearfield came here and enjoyed Wednesday evening at Mineral Spring park.

D. E. Young was in Clearfield on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wolstencroft, of Stoneville, were shopping in Woodland on Wednesday.

Daniel Duke steps and wide since a bouncing big boy arrived at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barger were visiting in Clearfield yesterday.

Clyde Peters, of Lower End, was in Woodland Wednesday evening.

Clyde Snyder, of Bigler, took in the Ball game in our town on Wednesday night.

There was a barn dance held at the home of Callie Parks Saturday night. Everybody enjoyed themselves Among the many who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kyler, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Knepp, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wisor, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Maines, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dixon, John Jordon, Ray Palmer, Lloyd Rowles Geo. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Wisor, Miss Violet Green, Claire Young.

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N. Y. C. SHOPS PICNIC TO BE HELD AUGUST 29

The great picnic of the year from this section has been announced and the event will be held at Clearfield, says the Jersey Shore Herald.

The shop picnic of the New York Central employees has proved to be one of the chief events of the year. It is then when the delegations from this section shares the merriment and enjoys a general good time. The boys have decided to hold the picnic Saturday, August 29, and a prominent park in the vicinity of Clearfield has been selected as the place.

Among the amusements of the day will be likely two games of baseball between the local players and probably a game with a team from Clearfield. Many other attractions will be added from time to time that will, as usual, make one of the joyous days for the shop men.

Rhubarb sponge.

Rhubarb sponge is made as for jelly, but when it begins to thicken the beaten whites of three eggs are whipped in until the jelly is quite stiff. Serve with whipped cream or a thin custard made from the yolks of the eggs.

Hint to Housewife.

When washing soiled diapers, put a tablespoonful each of borax and ammonia in the boiling water. Rinse well. This makes the diapers soft and white and they will not chafe the baby.

KAISER CONFERRING WITH HIS GENERALS AND HIGHLAND REGIMENT ON WAY TO FRONT.

The emperor of German finds it no easy task to overcome the opposition of Belgium to the passage of his troops through that country on their way to France.

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BASEBALL PLAYERS IN THE ROLL OF SHERLOCK HOLMES

BY FRANG G. MENKE.

New York, Ang. 8.—Those who are of the opinion that a ball player can detect nothing but the way to the paymaster's window and the dining room entrance, will be surprised to know what George McQuillen and Alex McCarthy, of Pittsburgh, did in this town on the occasion of their recent visit.

They caught a crook.

Not knowing what else to do with the evening in question, George and Alex, who pitch and play second base for the Pirates when not sleuthing, wandered down to the police headquarters to hold commune with the visible forms thereabouts. George and Alex being law abiding citizens have become chummy with certain members of the force, and during the early part of the evening they discussed pro and con as to which job was the easier—policing or ball playing.

In due course of time an Englishman named Adams catapulted into the station house.

"H'ive been robbed" he shrieked. "They've taken $4500 from me. H'ive been swindled."

Adams was led into the rogues gallery where they kept a reserve stock of photographs of confidence men. Adams pawed over a hundred or so, and then, waving one in the air shouted:

"That's 'im, the bloomin' crook. That's 'im what stole my watch. Up and at 'im boys." or words to that effect.

McQuillen and McCarthy had trailed along with the party and were among those present when Adams discovered the picture of the man who flimmed him of roll via the old wire tapping scheme.

'That guy usually hangs around Chinatown," remarked one of the copperinos.

"Does, hey?" quoth McQuillen. 'Guess we'll go out and hunt him up. Come along, Alex."

Alex did. The pair of ball players did quite a bit of hunting As the hour neared midnight it looked as if their looking would be in vain. But you know how such stories usually end. It was the very last place in which this pair of Smoke City sleuths decided to look that McQuillen spotted a fellow, leaning up against a bar, contentedly blowing foam off a glass of lager beer.

"Hist," hissed McQuillen.

Together the pair withdrew from the entrance for a conference.

'Hunt up a copper quick, Alex," whispered George. "I'll shadow this guy until you get back. Rustle!"

Alex in the due course of time caught up with a pair of officers and somewhat against their will and judgment practically dragged them back to where McQuillen, through a crack in the door, was watching his quarry.

The plain clothes men at McQuillen's direction, walked up to the beer sipper, gave him the up and down from several different angles and then, as one laid a heavy hand upon the beer drinker's shoulder the other said: "C'm along. You're pinched"

It is usual in stories concerning amateur sleuths to have it discovered after the suspect is led into police headquarters, despite his frantic protests, that instead of being a crook, a shoplifter, or something equally naughty, that he's mayor of the town the choir-master or the retired chief of police. But this story is the exception

The man that McQuillen spotted was a real crook with a long police record, a confidence man known to the police of many cities and the man whom Adams later identified as the leader of the gang that had swindled him out of $4500.

Baseball

Yesterday's Results

National League.

Pittsburg, 5; Boston, 1.
Pitchers; Cooper and Cotrel.
St. Louis, 0; Brooklyn, 3.
Pitchers; Griner and Ragon.
Cincinnati, 0; Philadelphia, 2.
Pitchers; Ames and Alexander.
Chicago, 4; New York, 8
Pitchers; Pierce and Fromme.

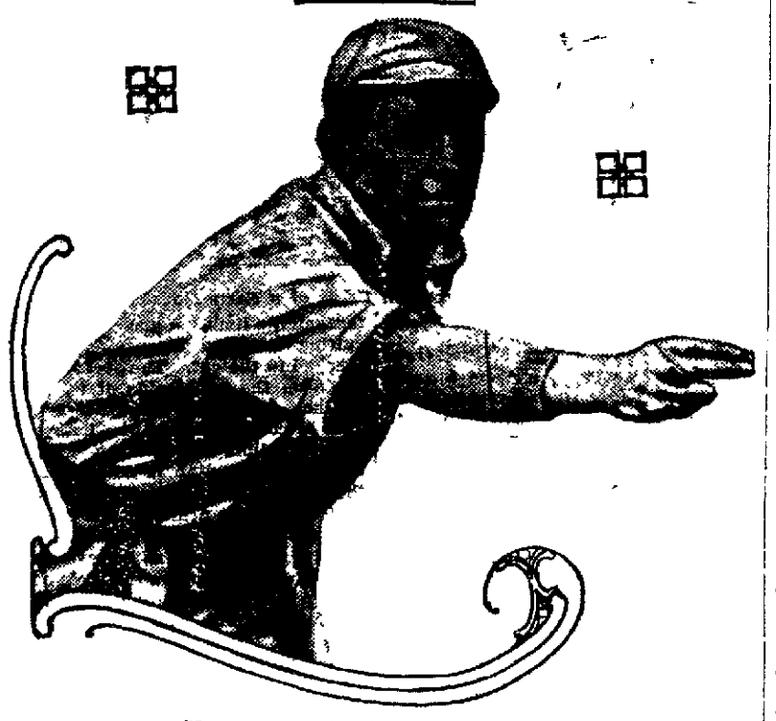
American League.

Philadelphia, 4; Cleveland, 0.
Pitchers; Bender and Mitchell.
Boston, 1; Detroit, 3.
Pitchers; Gregg and Covaleski.
Washington, 0; Chicago, 2.
Pitchers, Ayers and Benz.
New York, 4; St. Louis, 3.
Pitchers; Fishers and Weilman.

Federal League.

St. Louis, 2; Pittsburgh, 1.
Pitchers; Cooper and Dickson.

FEW PLAYERS FOLLOW KEELER'S ADVICE



"Stuffy" McInnis of Champion Athletics.

"Hit 'em where they ain't," said "Wee Willie" Keeler Ambitious ball players have been trying to do it ever since As a matter of fact, they were trying to do it before "Willie" tipped them off to what they were trying to do

"It's just as simple as doing a 'Brodie" over Niagara Falls and still feeling healthy and strong afterward. "Willie" said it as if that's all any batter has to know to cut into any pitcher's pitching for about 400 worth. And to "Willie" it was just like reciting the alphabet. But all batters are not Keelers That's why some pitchers draw big salaries

There are a lot of players who personally believe "Willie" didn't know what he was talking about. They call themselves "hard luck hitters" because fielders move out of their usual positions to play in the right spots to stonewall the near hits.

They mumble something about "Hit 'em where they ain't, is all right enough, but there ain't no such place Just as a fellow thinks he's picked an opening big enough for a baseball to slide through without having the trade mark rubbed off, some fielder pulls a 'bone,' leaves his position and is just lucky enough to wander in front of the ball."

Most of these players are "lucked" out of the big leagues. But in at least one instance some of these disgruntled batters are right. The four young men who do business for "Connie" Mack on his lawn are as near to being a net without being a net as anything or things could be. There seems to be only one kind of a hit they cannot stop—something going so fast they cannot see it.

That infield has won two pennants for him in the last three years, and is guiding the Athletics along the straight and narrow path again. Last season Mack's pitching staff was anything but a championship contrivance. Yet the young pitchers could be pounded for various quantities of runs and the games still be saved, because Baker, Barry, Collins and McInnis took it upon themselves to manufacture more runs than the other fellows could.

It is up to the infield to pull the club through to the top if it is to mingle in another world series next autumn.

It makes no difference what the tally sheet shows, Baker, Barry, Collins and McInnis are always on the job, looking for something to keep them busy. And they can be depended upon to find it

Among the Baseball Players

Herman Bronkie and Baddy Livingston are playing great ball for Indianapolis.

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Bill Carrigan is one manager who believes in giving the young hurlers a chance.

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Lajoie's baseball star may be setting, but that isn't the matter with the Naps by a good deal.

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One of the bravest managers in the American league is Bill Carrigan. He declares the Red Sox will win the pennant.

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The Cincinnati Reds have still another outfield candidate. He is McLaughlin, who hails from Colgate university.

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Johnny Dobbs, the new manager of the New Orleans team, is popular with his men and enjoys their fullest confidence.

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Statistics compiled on runs scored by teams in the National league show the Phillies to be the greatest run getters.

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A new comet has been discovered in the West, but as yet no efforts have been made to sign it to a Federal contract.

DESERTS RED SOX FOR FEDERALS.

Steve Yerkes in Red Sox uniform.

Second Baseman Steve Yerkes has jumped to the Pittsburgh team of the Federals.

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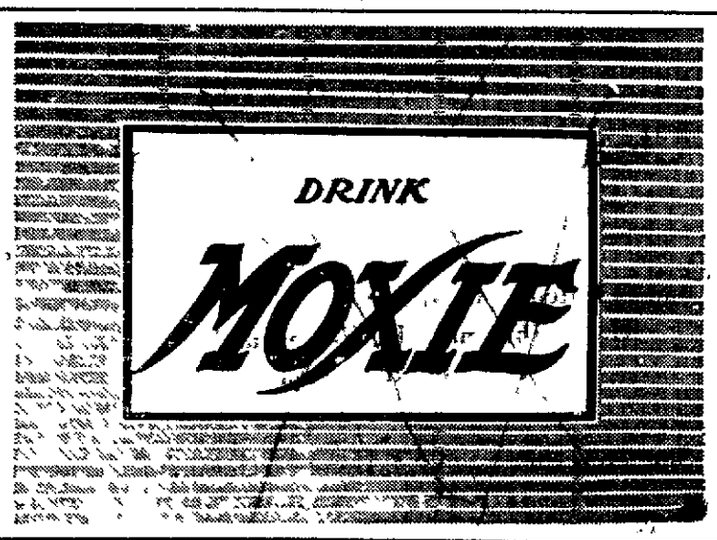

CARE OF THE REFRIGERATOR

Matter That Is of Much Importance in the Preservation of Family's Health.

Cleanliness does come "next to godliness" as regards your refrigerator—more, perhaps, than in any other part of the establishment. The housekeeper's first aim regarding her refrigerator must be absolute cleanliness. A few hints concerning this article may be helpful to the inexperienced.

Look over the ice box daily. Wash it at least three times a week. If the pipe connecting the ice chamber and drip pan is adjustable it should be removed and scalded once a week, for you will be surprised to notice the green slime that forms an inside coating. Do not simply empty the drip pan once or twice daily Clean it regularly also. There is nothing better for the purpose than old fashioned "salt soda" combined with plenty of boiling water

Never be guilty of putting ice in the chest wrapped in newspapers. That is well enough to keep in a box or tub and is good at times. It is more sanitary to wash ice before placing it in the ice chamber, and you avoid the risk of clogging the waste pipe with particles of straw and sawdust.

One-Prong Fork.

A clever housewife has almost invented a kitchen tool. Taking an ordinary, long-handled, three-pronged cook's fork, she filed off the two outer prongs, leaving only one, and uses this to test whether a vegetable or piece of meat is tender. The one prong makes less mark and is less apt to break the food than the three piercings. The fork is good also to remove caps from milk bottles, and especially so in taking olives and other foods from long-necked bottles and cans, such as sections of fruit, etc Indeed, this housekeeper believes that she couldn't "keep kitchen" without it.

Glass Plant Fires Started.

The fire in the tank of the Wightman Glass company's plant in Punxsutawney was lighted yesterday and on September 1 the manufacture of medicinal bottleware will start at the plant. It was planned to start the fire early in the spring, but unforseen delays prevented.

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IMPORTANT DATES.

Jordan family reunion, Mineral Springs park, Woodland, August 15.

First Annual Educational reunion, Burnside, August 21.

Fourth annual picnic Fraternal association, Curwensville, August 12.

County S. S. association convention, Osceola Mills, August 25-26.

Annual reunion of the Mahaffey family, at Williamsport, August 13.

Public schools will reopen on Tuesday, September 1.

Labor day, September 7.

Columbus day, October 12.

Saturday, August 8, 1914

Good evening! Be patient with the thoughtless and prove that you too are not given to err.

PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS.

In appropriating one hundred and fifty dollars toward the purchase of apparatus to be used in public playgrounds borough council was well within its powers, and in providing that this money shall be expended under the supervision of a committee council complied with the law. Council has no authority to spend the people's money for playgrounds of a private or semi-private character, but it can expend money in providing public parks, in aiding in theid equipment as playgrounds and in caring for the playgrounds.

As the purpose of the ladies who have sought the assistance of council in equipping the Lower Witmer park with apparatus with which children may amuse themselves is to afford pleasure for the little tots these ladies are not at all particular as to how or by whom this apparatus is purchased. With the playgrounds under the direct supervision of a councilmanic committee, which will see that the apparatus purchased and used is kept in good condition and is not destroyed as apparatus placed in the lower par a few years ago was, the ladies will no doubt be satisfied.

It is the hope of the projectors of the playgrounds that in time each ward in the city will have a public playground in which the children of such wards may enjoy themselves. The principal trouble heretofore relative to enlisting the cooperation of council in the playground propositions has been the lack of interest taken in the apparatus used after the play season has passed and the absence of that discipline which is so necessary to the enjoyment of the pleasure of a playground by all classes of children.

FAMILY REUNIONS.

This is the season of family reunions. These family gatherings are pleasant milestones in life's pathway, leading on to fraternal and social enjoyment. The true purpose of these reunions is to give members of the various clans an opportunity to meet at least once a year to enjoy an outing; to forget for the day at least the petty troubles and annoyances of life, and to exchange experiences of the year, thus creating and maintaining that intercourse which brings the various branches of the original family into closer fellowship.

There are quite a number of families in Clearfield county who hold annual reunions. There are many other families which might follow the example with pleasure and profit to themselves and each individual member, from the aged grandfather to the smallest grandchild. There are many families in this county whose history is so closely united with the history of the county that a reunion may be regarded as a near approach to an affair in which the public is interested. The annual reunion should be an important epoch in the lives of a large number of families in this county.

If you did not read the Progress yesterday you had to wait until eleven o'clock today to learn that German warships were defeated by the British in the North sea; that Liege, Belgium, was set afire by shells from German guns; that the French troops have begun the invasion of German territory, and that French troops are being rushed to Liege to aid the Belgians in repelling the German army of four hundred thousand men, and a lot of other war news found exclusively in the Progress.

One by one the Republicans are being pushed off the pie counter stool to make room for hungry Democrats. And yet the Republicans of Pennsylvania want to return Penrose to the United States seate; Penrose, the man who is partially responsible for the success of the Democratic party in 1912.

A newspaper speaks sympathetically of a "rich woman who is stranded in a foreign capital." A rich woman under such circumstances is less to be pitied than a poor woman who must look out for herself with nothing in her purse except a return ticket.

The European war comes at a bad time for the Democrats, as foreign imports are likely to fall off considerably until the conflict is over and European manufacturers are again able to ship their goods into this country.

The greatest diplomat in the world is the man who can persuade his wife to believe the story he tells her when he appears at his home at three o'clock in the morning.

The haste with which some of those small powers in Europe proclaim their neutrality in this war would seem to indicate that these powers have been reading history.

Charity begins at home, and sometimes it is such a slow walker that it never gets far from its doorstep.

On to Berlin, may yet become the war cry of the Belgians.

SIX SMALL SMILES.

Unlucky.

Cynicus—I once knew a fellow who gave a girl an engagement ring of opals.

Sillicus—Geneius! Wasn't it unlucky?

Cynicus—You bet it was! She married him.—Judge.

Apprehensive.

"Your constituents will gather at the station to meet you when you get home," asked the visitor.

"I supose so," replied Senator Sorghum, gloomily, "Will there be a reception committee or do they intend to assemble as mob?—Washington Star.

No Longer Desirable.

The new president—But say, what a mozzy lot of directors you have! They look as if you'd gone to the highways and byways for 'em.

The secretary—We did. It was the best material we could get after the New Haven blowout.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Something on His Side, Too.

Young Wife—Before we were married, Percy, you never smoked in my presence.

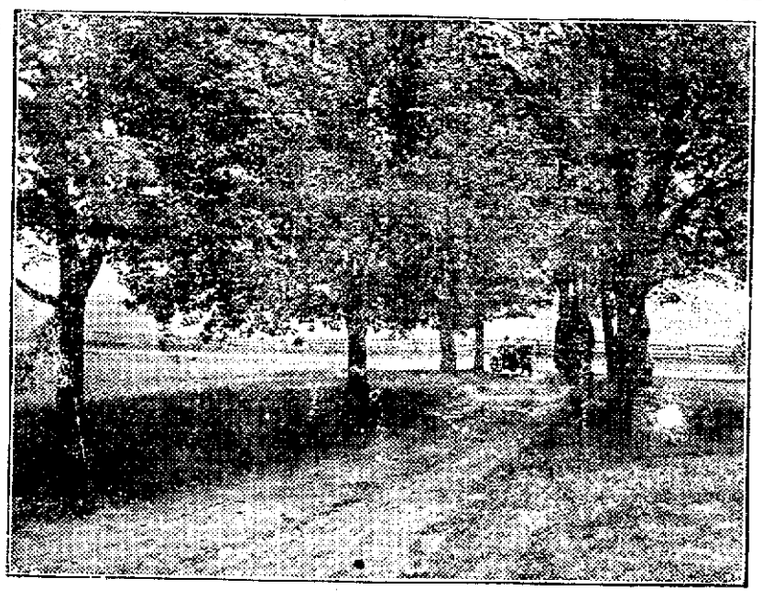
Young Husband—I know it, my dear; and you never wore curl papers in mine.—Stray Stories.

Deserve Distinction.

Do you have any differences of opinion in your family?

Terrible. Why, it couldn't be any worse if we were all members of the Supreme Court.—Life.

FEW ESSENTIALS OF TREE REPAIR WORK



An Excellent Grove In Front of a Farm House.

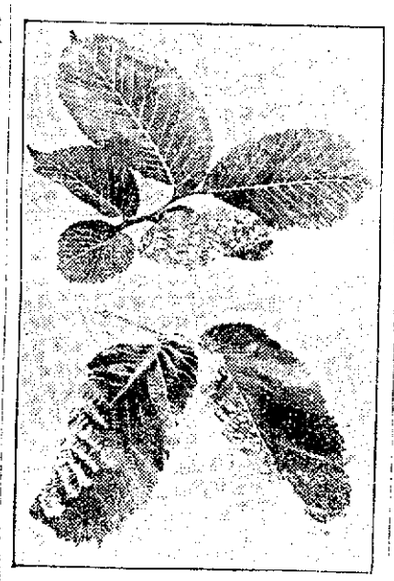
(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It is a well known fact that trees are subject to injuries, from a great variety of causes. In a great majority of cases these injuries are allowed to remain untreated—often for years. Rot-producing fungi commonly gain entrance at these places, and eventually the original inconspicuous or unobserved injury develops into a comparatively large area of decay. The real aim of tree surgery is to repair the damage, resulting from such neglected injuries and rotted areas, says the United States Department of Agriculture Year Book.

In most tree surgery work a few fundamental principles must be observed in order that permanent good results may be realized. These may be summarized as follows: Remove all decayed, diseased, or injured wood and bark. When on small limbs, this can often best be done by removing the limb. On larger limbs or on the trunk it may at times mean the digging out of a cavity. Sterilize and water-proof all cut surfaces. Leave the work in the most favorable condition for rapid healing. This will often mean the filling of deep cavities. Watch the work from year to year for defects, and if any appear, attend to them immediately and thus avoid loss or necessity of expensive repair in the future.

Tree surgery, or, more properly, tree repair work, is not a mysterious art, known only to a favored few, who alone, are fitted to undertake it, as some interested persons would have tree owners believe. It can be undertaken by any careful man who has a good general knowledge of the structure and life history of a tree, its normal manner of covering wounds, and how insects and decay organisms cause damage, provided he can handle a gouge and mallet, a saw, and a tar brush. For work in the tops of trees he will also need a clear head and ability to climb.

In its simplest type, tree surgery consists in removing dead, diseased, or decayed limbs or stubs from a tree and treating the scar with an antiseptic and waterproof covering to prevent decay while healing. Another type consists in cutting out the decayed and diseased matter in trees and filling the cavities with cement or other material to facilitate the normal healing-over process. This is often referred to as "tree dentistry," a term which very aptly indicates the character of the work. Filled cavities do not increase the strength of the trunk or limb to the extent that is generally supposed.



Elm Leaves Injured by the Woolly Aphid, the Elm Tree Pest Which is Destroying Many Fine Elms in City Parks and Elsewhere.

Removing Branches.

For the work of removing branches, the most essential implements are a good sized saw with teeth so set as to make a wide cut, a gouge, a chisel, a mallet, and a strong knife. For cutting limbs near the ground these are the only necessary implements.

A large limb should never be removed by sawing through from the upper side, as this usually strips the bark and wood below the scar. The proper way is to make the first saw cut on the under side, from six inches to a foot beyond the point where the final cut is to be made. It should reach from one-fourth to one-half through the limb. A good time to stop cutting is when the saw becomes pinched in the cut. The second cut is made on the upper side of the limb, an inch or two beyond the first one. This is continued until the limb falls. After the limb has fallen, a third cut to remove the stub is made close to the trunk and in line with its wood surface. When nearly sawed through, the stub must be supported until completely severed, so as to avoid any possibility of stripping the bark below as it falls. The first and second cuts to prevent stripping may be omitted when small limbs which can be held firmly in place until completely severed are being cut.

When the scar is not naturally pointed above and below, it is a good practise on most trees to remove a short triangular piece of bark from the upper edge, so as to anticipate its dying back at these points. This makes the scar pointed at both ends, the most favorable shape for healing. It is important that some good shellac be applied with a suitable brush over the edge of the bark and outer wood immediately after the cut is made. If the scar is a large one, it is a good plan to use the knife around the edge for one or two minutes and then shellac the freshly cut surfaces, repeating the operation until all the bark and sap wood around the scar has been shellacked. The full benefit of the shellac will not be achieved if many minutes elapse between the cutting and the shellacking, unless the freshly cut surfaces are visibly moist with sap. If necessary, the woody surface of the scar may now be smoothed off with a chisel and mallet to conform in general shape with the tree trunk.

Antiseptic and Waterproof Dressings.

The final operation is to sterilize and waterproof the surface of the exposed wood and bark. For this purpose many preparations have been used. Recent extensive tests by specialists in timber preservation indicate that some of the creosotes stand far ahead of all other tested preparations in their power to destroy and prevent the growth of certain wood-destroying fungi and that ordinary creosote, although it does not head the list, is far better than the other preparations except some of the less known and less available creosotes. Furthermore, creosote penetrates the wood better than a watery antiseptic. Commercial creosote can be applied with an ordinary paint brush over every part of the exposed wood. The [illegible] painting it with heavy coal tar. A single [illegible] of creosote and [illegible] one-fourth or one-third creosote) has been quite extensively used with good results. Although one coating of this mixture may at times be sufficient, it is always safer to follow it with a heavy coat of coal tar.

A good grade of lead paint can be substituted for the tar, if desired, although it is not generally considered as satisfactory. Or grafting wax may serve satisfactorily for small surfaces. Asphalt and various preparations containing asphalt are excellent waterproof coverings and would doubtless be more generally used were it not necessary to apply them hot. A good and possibly more permanent [illegible] of treating the scars is to char the surface slightly with a gasoline or alcohol blast torch and then cover the hot surface with heavy tar or hot asphalt. Although heat is an excellent sterilizing agent, it does not penetrate as well as creosote and it kills back the cambium or soft, forming wood, to a greater extent.

Tools.

The necessary tools for digging out decayed matter are few. As a rule, two outside ground socket-handled gouges (one with a curved cutting edge of about three-fourths of an inch and the other, perhaps one and a half inches), a chisel, a mallet, a knife, and an oilstone are sufficient for ordinary work. The gouges, chisel, and knife should never be used near the cambium when they lack a keen edge, as dull tools will injure it. In cutting out deep cavities, longer interchangeable handles for the gouges may be necessary. A ladder or a stepladder will be required if the work is more than five feet from the ground. Climbing spurs should be avoided as they cause injuries which may allow infection by organisms, causing rot or parasite diseases.

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The Kentucky variation of fried rhubarb pie is as follows: Cook the rhubarb to a thick, sweet marmalade, flavoring with orange, lemon, nutmeg or ginger, according to fancy, or a few large seeded and chopped raisins may be cooked with the rhubarb. The crust is made of rich biscuit or shortcake dough, rolled thin as possible and size of a tea plate, fried in an iron frying pan and turned like a pan cake. As each one is fried a nice brown, it is spread with the marmalade. Four or five are put together like layer cake, and served hot, cutting them like pie. The crust must be short enough to be tender and fried a crisp, but not hard, brown, cutting easily.

Many readers have asked for directions for making rhubarb jelly for dessert. Cut a pound of the fruit into inch lengths and put into a baking dish with a pint of sugar, a pint of water and a little ginger root. Bake until the rhubarb is tender. Soften half a boxful of gelatin with half a cupful of cold water, using the pink gelatin. Dissolve over hot water and strain into the rhubarb; then add the juice of a lemon. Pour into a mold wet with cold water and set away to get firm. Serve with garnish of whipped cream and clear lemon jelly made quite stiff and cut in cubes.—Lida Ames Willis.

Needed a Change.

The proprietor of a second hand store was not so tidy as he might have been. One day while standing in front of his store an Irishman approached and asked:

"Have yez any clane shirts in yer store?

"Shure, I have", answered the clothing man, anxious for a sale, "lots of them so clean as anything."

"Well, said the Irishman, moving away, "go on in and put one on yerself".

Hymn Before Action.

The earth is full of anger,
The seas are dark with wrath,
The nations in their harness
Go up against our path:
Ere yet we loose the legions—
Ere yet we draw the blade,
Jehovah of the Thunders,
Lord God of Battles, aid!

High lust and forward bearing,
Proud heart, rebellious brow—
Deaf ear and soul uncaring,
We seek Thy mercy now!
The sinner that forswore Thee,
The fool that passed Thee by,
Our times are known before Thee—
Lord, grant us strength to die!

From panic, pride and terror,
Revenge that knows no rein,
Light haste and lawless error,
Protect us yet again.
Cloak Thou our undeserving,
Make firm the shuddering breath,
In silence and unswerving,
To taste Thy lesser death!

E'en now their vanguard gathers,
E'en now we face the fray—
As Thou didst help our fathers,
Help Thou our host today!
Fulfilled of signs and wonders,
In life, in death made clear—
Jehovah of the Thunders,
Lord God of Battles, hear!

—Rudyard Kipling.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Saturday, August 8, 1914

[illegible] Dr

[illegible] Mr H [illegible] left [illegible] for N [illegible] J

M [illegible] Dan [illegible] ship, [illegible]

Daniel A M [illegible] ship, [illegible]

Mrs W [illegible] are v [illegible]

C P Johnson of D [illegible] ness visitor in Cl [illegible] Ind ay

Miss Ro [illegible] guest of her brother D [illegible] at Avis

Miss Catherine [illegible] left today to visit relatives in Buffalo

G L [illegible] of Dav street went up on the 11 to Niagara Falls

J A C [illegible] on business that detained them over today

Misses Lan and Maud Jordan left on the 11 08 train today for Niagara Falls

G L Barger of the East End, left this morning for a visit at Niagara Falls.

Misses Lan and Maud Jordan left on the 11 08 train today for Niagara Falls

Mrs Charles Nelson and Miss A A Nelson left this morning for DuBois

Frank Hamilton of Grampian, was a business visitor in Clearfield this morning

Miss Ethel Wrigley left this afternoon to spend a week with friends in DuBois

B B Hess of Grampian, and daughter Elizabeth spent the morning in town

Mr Eric Lansberry attended the Lansberry reunion at Mineral Spring this afternoon

Miss Esther Watson of McBride street is spending two weeks with her aunt at Bluebell

The squires many friends are glad to see him enjoying such good health after his serious illness

Miss Weber and Miss Sterner of Locust street are spending a week with friends in Indiana

Mrs John Barrett and sons Walter and Bruce, are visiting Mrs Barrett's folks at Westport

Mrs Emma Morris and daughter Helen left this morning for Niagara Falls and Toronto Canada

Mrs S V Border of Vineland N J, is visiting Mrs C E Peterson at her home on the West Side

Miss Margaret and Geraldine Lansberry are guests at the home of William Morrison in Jerry Run

O C Wrigley of State College is home to spend his vacation with his mother Mrs Millie Wrigley

Mrs R M Montgomery of Gulich avenue is visiting her parents Mr and Mrs E L Farley of DuBois

Mr Thomas Murray and Mrs Morris of Youngstown Ohio are the guests of Mrs William Blacker

Mrs Emma Morris and Miss Helen Morris will leave this evening for Niagara Falls and Toronto Canada

Mr and Mrs J A Larson of Altoona who have been visiting relatives here left this afternoon for their home

Mrs W E Potter and daughter Mary Elizabeth are spending the day in Clearfield on their way to Newburg

Miss Sadie and Laura Osborn returned last night from Sloppy Hollow where they were guests of the Dreibelbis family

Miss Rebecca Glancy of Baltimore who has been visiting friends in Clearfield for some time returned to her home today

Mr Arnold Nolan of East End left this morning for Connellsville to spend a week with his sister Mrs Thomas Parker

Miss Mildred Hewett of Pittsburgh, Pa, is the guest of Miss Marie Bell on Cherry street

Mrs Mary Hoover and daughter Miss Ruth Hoover left this morning for Buffalo and Niagara Falls

Mr James Haney of Portage who has been visiting at the home of Fred Gearhart and E Bloom left for home this afternoon

Rev and Mrs J F Key of the East End left yesterday for DuBois where they will take the train to Niagara Falls today

Mr and Mrs D C Parker and granddaughter Ervine of Locust street returned last evening from a visit to Jersey Shore

Mrs H N Culpatrick of Woodland entertained a crowd of girls at her home last evening A delightful time was enjoyed by all Dainty refreshments were served Those present were Misses Alfreda Lytle Wilma Arnold Mildred Lytle Dorothy Bressler Ruth Lansberry

[illegible] Prince [illegible] Sandy Ridge

[illegible] McGarrigle [illegible] Visitors today

[illegible] Pittsburgh [illegible] to her home today

Mrs Howard DeArmitt of Grant Ave will leave for her home tomorrow after six weeks visit with Mrs Edward Conner on Sixth street

[illegible] Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs Robert Street returned

[illegible] during this afternoon

Miss Elizabeth Lee Guide Thorn and Harold Brubaker Jr left today on the excursion to Niagara Falls

Mrs Ferry and daughter Selma [illegible] who have been visiting friends in town left this morning for Buffalo and Niagara Falls

Mrs Margaret Bloom [illegible] Harris and wife, for the past month left yesterday for her home in Philadelphia

KING COMMANDS STUBBORN BELGIAN DEFENDERS.

King Albert of Belgium with his staff o heers

Brussells Aug 8—With his two sons King Albert of Belgium has charge of the defense of Liege and is also at the head of the French force of 80 000 which is hastening to the relief of Liege

Where New Styles Are Launched

A MUCH sketched and much talked of costume worn at the Chantilly races is pictured at the left of the smaller photograph which appears here It is a black satin with the longest of white lace tunics over it and a black satin coat With the same color combination used in reverse order is a coat of white satin and a tunic of black lace at the right of the picture

A crowd of fashion friend the scene meets for the display of stunning costumes in the most effective of settings The people demonstrate the moods and trends now styles The form the center of a tract in front greater than it is in attendance for the purpose of looking at them

The hand of fortune which caused so many modistes to take notice and so many artists to love Lemieris or plaid coats is chiefly remarkable for the variety of the lace of which the tunic is made Patterned after an old Chantilly shawl was used for this tunic [illegible] figures are distributed to a [illegible] girls in [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] the article [illegible] are cut out [illegible] [illegible] they with [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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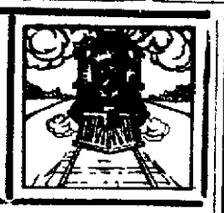
RAILROAD NEWS

Items of Interest, Gathered Here and There, For The Boys Who Man The Trains



INTERESTING FIGHT BETWEEN RAILROADS IN ELK COUNTY

After a legal fight lasting five years the Baltimore and Ohio railroad Thursday succeeded in entering James City, a small town in Elk county, three miles south of Kane, where the plant of the American Plate Glass company is located

The state public utilities commission Wednesday granted the Baltimore and Ohio the right to cross the tracks of the Kane and Elk railroad, which, until Thursday, was the only road entering James City Early Thursday morning one hundred men in charge of Chief Engineer Dedies were rushed to Kane from Butler to lay the line Upon their arrival they found the Kane and Elk company had placed a locomotive on the disputed crossing in charge of Engineer Rolfe and Fireman Neuf When the latter refused to release the crossing they were driven from the train, which was backed off the crossing and the air brakes spiked so the locomotive could not be operated Several arrests are expected to be made as a result of the tactics used by the men

Steel Trains for B & O.

Cincinnati will receive direct benefit from the large steel passenger squipment recently ordered by the Baltimore & Ohio Several installments of these new cars have been delivered in the past few days, and in consequence from this time forward the three through trains from Cincinnati to the east will be solid steel andf itted with electric lights throughout The trains between here and St Louis will have solid steel coaches, sleepers, baggage and mail cars

Wheat Shipments Delayed.

Two hundred cars loaded with Kansas wheat en route to Galveston for export have been stopped in the San a Fe yards at Gainesville, Tex, and four trains loaded with Kansas wheat en route to Galveston for export were placed in the yards Thursday at Marietta, Okla and Ardmore, Okla, to remain indefinately on account of the European war

New Engine Makes Test Haul.

The Erie railroad has just completed a series of tests on its new Centipede locomotive in Binghamton, N Y, with a view of trying out the pulling power of the Matt H Shay, the largest engine in the world The officers started the test with a large number of cars and kept adding to the train until it contained 250 loaded steel "battle ships" with a total weight of 21,000 tons

The engine pulled this train forty miles at the rate of fifteen miles an hour, establishing a new trainload record for the world, as well as the United States The train was easily more than 10 000 tons heavier than any ever bfeore pulled by one locomotive

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BILL OF FARE SHOULD BE APPETIZING AND VARIED.

Very Much More a Case of Judicious Selection and Serving Than of Expense—Suitable Combinations of Food Materials.

To say that a family bill of fare must be appetizing and varied does not necessarily mean that it must be costly as well At first sight, it might seem difficult to secure these qualities without buying rather expensive materials or serving very fancy dishes, but the theory does not hold in the case of food any more than in that of clothing and house furnishings

Just as the test of a woman's ability in dress is to get suitable and attractive effects with relatively low expense, so the test of her catering ability is to give her family an ample supply of wholesome and pleasantly varied meals with an outlay of money and time proportionate to her income and circumstances

Variety in the diet can be secured both by providing different kinds of food and by preparing staple foods in different ways, and the best results are obtained by combining both methods, says the United States department of agriculture year book. When the housekeeper studies the list of common foods and the combinations made from them, she will probably find that as regards their place in the menu they fall into general groups—those which, like bread potatoes, milk, eggs, etc, which have little distinctive taste, and those like cheese, soasoning vegetables, some sweets, cooked meats, etc, which have marked the individual flavor She will further find that the mild flavored materials are the ones which are used in the greatest quantities, meal after meal, while those of pronounced taste appear in smaller amounts, or some of them only occasionally To put it in another way, she will depend largely on the first group to make up the bulk of her dietary and on the second to vary it

In cookery, some foods require only simple methods to make them very palatable Tender steaks, or chops, in cooking, develop delicious meat flavors and require no highly flavored vegetable seasoning or condiments to make them palatable In themselves they furnish flavor sufficient to accompany potatoes rice or other foods of mild flavor On the other hand, in stews and other dishes made from the cheaper cuts of meat, carrots, onions or other distinctive flavors are usually added to supplement that of the meat flavor The cheaper cuts are not usually of such a texture that the best results can be secured by such simple methods as broiling or roasting

The housekeeper who makes a dish composed of cheese and macaroni, or of meat and rice or potato, etc, applies the same principle The great variety of pickles, preserves and elaborate pastry which American housekeepers used to consider necessary represented another instinctive effort to vary, by adding flavor, the monotony which was inevitable, particularly in winter fare before the days of easy transportation and cold storage brought fresh fruits and vegetables the year round

If the good housekeeper analyzes the make up of her meals a little further, she will probably find that she arranges them, perhaps unconsciously, according to more or less definite principles In most American families the chief daily features of breakfast are bread of some sort with butter very often fruit, and some kind of breakfast cereal, and coffee, tea or cocoa, with their usual accompaniments of sugar and milk or cream This combination is varied by omitting either the bread or the cereal (which is logical, if one wishes to do it since they provide the same sort of nutrients, though in different form) by changing the kind of bread or cereal, or by combining with them some other materials If the members of the family are engaged in much muscular work the meal will be made more hearty by the addition of some hot dish, as eggs meat hash, creamed fish bacon and possibly honey or sirup If their work is light, however, less variety or smaller portions will probably be preferred

The custom of serving fruit at breakfast is undoubtedly healthful and not extravagant if low priced fruit is chosen Of course it may be cooked or canned fruit if this is more convenient It does not increase the housekeeper's work so much if it is served with the other breakfast dishes as it does if made a separate course, for each course means extra time and service This is a commonplace illustration of the principle that the housekeeper who has many demands on her time or who has limited help should select ways of service which are simple and time saving rather than those suitable for families where other conditions prevail Well carried out, the result is pleasing in either case.

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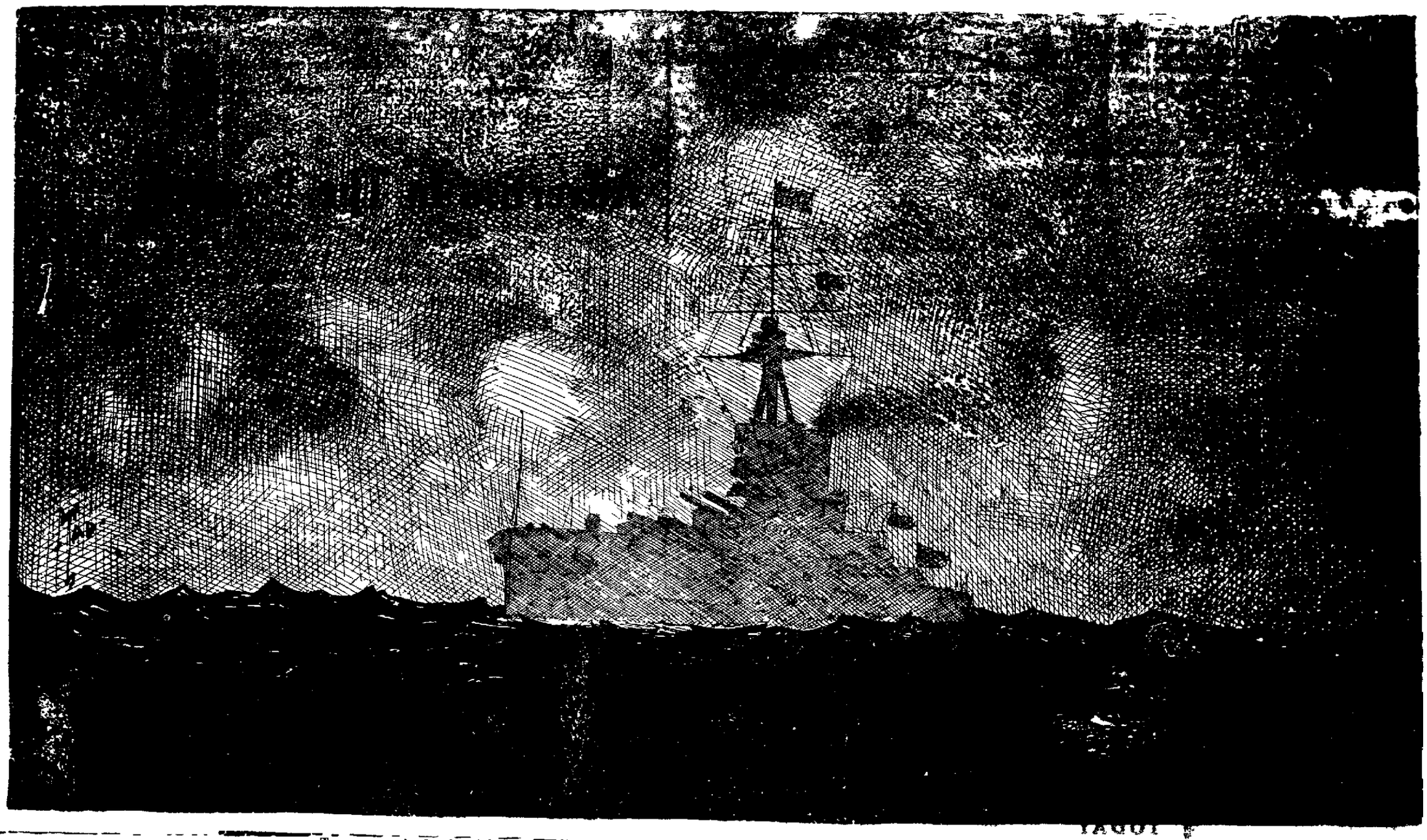

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The play was especially written for Edna Maison, who is featured in the title role. Miss Maison has shown exceptional ability in this role of a girl who, as an agent of Uncle Sam, takes up the task of unravelling vague clues and matching her wits against hard circumstances and a bad man. It has afforded the leading lady chance to do a character study entirely original, away from anything heretofore attempted.

Shown this evening at the opera house.

The Sun's Rays.

It is a thrilling romance of the west wherein one man proves his worth in the eyes of the girl, by running down a band of train-robbers. Information about gold shipmnets had been leaking. The girl's discarded suitor, a clerk, had been using a mirror held to the sun, to signal information to the thieves.

Shown at the opera house tonight.

"Pay the Rent" is a laughable joker comedy, a series of funny plots and interesting incidents, at the opera house tonight.

Beatrice Van plays the part of a Y. W. C. A. secretary in "The Opened Shutters," a four-reel feature being produced at the Universal Hollywood studios by Otis Turner. Miss Van walked across the stage the other day and inspected the scenery.

"In the name of Heaven," she cried throwing up her hands, "does this lok like the Y. W. C. A.

"This scene," said Director Turner, "is a reproduction of the interior of one of the bigest associations in America."

"Ah" quoth Miss Van, "no wonder girls go wrong."

A short time afterward Mr. Turner was rehearsing her in her part. He told her to read from the Bible and explain it interestedly to her friend. She tried it and looked bored.

"I can't seem to get interested in the Bible," she said.

"All right", said Mr. Turner, "turn to the Songs of Solomon."

Miss Van turned to the Songs of Solomon, and when she was aroused from her reading a half hour later, she said:

"Why, really, has the scene been taken already?"

AEROPLANES IN TIME OF WARFARE

Airships Will Play Important Part In Present Conflict

ITALIANS LEAD IN TRAINING

(By International News Service)

The great conflict now raging among the powers of Europe promises to be only to be a struggle for supremacy on land and sea, but for supremacy in the air as well.

France, Russia and England will send their vast fleets against the giant Zeppelins of the Germans.

In a measure, the present European war will settle for all time the relative merits of the aeroplane and the dirigible balloon as engines of destruction. In the development of the latter type of aircraft Germany stands supreme. She has nine of the giant Zeppelins, fully equipped, and five more nearing completion. Work on these is being rushed with all possible speed. They range from 450 to 525 feet in length, are equipped with motors giving from 350 to 120 horse power, and carry light three inch guns which have been successfully fired in manoeuvers. They speed through the air at the rate of forty or fifty miles an hour.

All the Zeppelins are of the rigid type, the outer shell and framework being of aluminum construction. Inside the framework are the silk bags, as many as seventeen in some of the largest type, filled with hydrogen gas. The advantage of a number of small bags, lies in the ability of the airship to keep afloat with one or more of the bags punctured or out of commission.

Austria also has several rigid dirigibles and Italy has three of four. If Italy joins in with Germany and Austria, the Tripic Alliance will have at its disposal 31 of this type of aircraft.

On the other hand England, France and Russia can muster 34 gas bag airships, but they are all much smaller than the Zeppelins and are of the non-rigid or semi-rigid type.

The triple entente, formed by these three countries, will pin their faith to their aeroplanes rather than to the balloons. It is estimated that th entente has 1,860 aeroplanes against the 700 of alliance. France, especially, has developed the army aeroplane to a high state of efficiency and uses both the monoplane and the biplane, although the former predominates. For scouting work the monoplane has proved to be most successful because of the greater speed it can attain and the fewer chances of discovery by the enemy.

The Italian aviators are the only airmen who received actual training in aerial warfare. Italians successfully used aeroplanes in their campaign in Tripoli and also attained a certain measure of success with semi-rigid dirgibles.

England has one fast, though small is the Astra Torres IV, which recently made fifty-one miles an hour against a twelve mile wind. It is of the non-rigid type and can be deflated and packed aboard a warship. The Vickers and Armstrong firms are now constructing two rigid airships for the British admirality. These, when completed, will resemble the Zeppelins. England also has one naval Farsevel, 270 feet long. The Autra Torres is slightly smaller. There are also four other airships, from 100 to 150 feet in length. France has 15 dirigibles attached to her army. These range from 275 to 325 feet in length. The Spiess, the largest of the French fleet, is rigid. There is also under construction another Spiess which will be 450 feet long.

Austria has but three airships in condition for use, a collision about a month ago having destroyed one of the Austrian army baloons.

Little is known of the Russian dirigibles. She has thirteen small low speed craft. Like England and France she has concentrated on the aeroplane.

OBITUARY

The funeralo f George Morgan took place from the St. Francis church this morning at 9:00 o'clock. Interment was made in the St. Francis cemetery. Mr. Morgan died Thursday evening, August 6. He is survived by Lawrence Morgan, of Philipsburg, a brother, and Lawrence Morgan, of Walnut street, a nephew, besides several relatives in Philipsburg.

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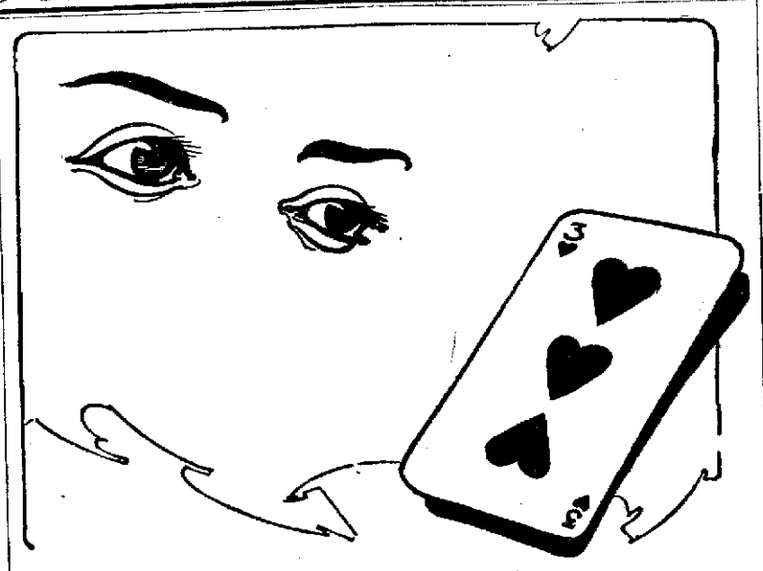

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Coal Mines to Close.

It is reported that a number of coal mines in this region will be temporarily closed soon because of the slump in the eastern market resulting from the war in Europe. The Beaverdale mines are closed and it is said the Patton mines will be shut down in a short time.

Carminia Arrives in Safety.

Queenstown, Ireland, Aug. 8—The Cunard liner Carminia, carrying $11-418,000 in gold, arrived here safely yesterday.

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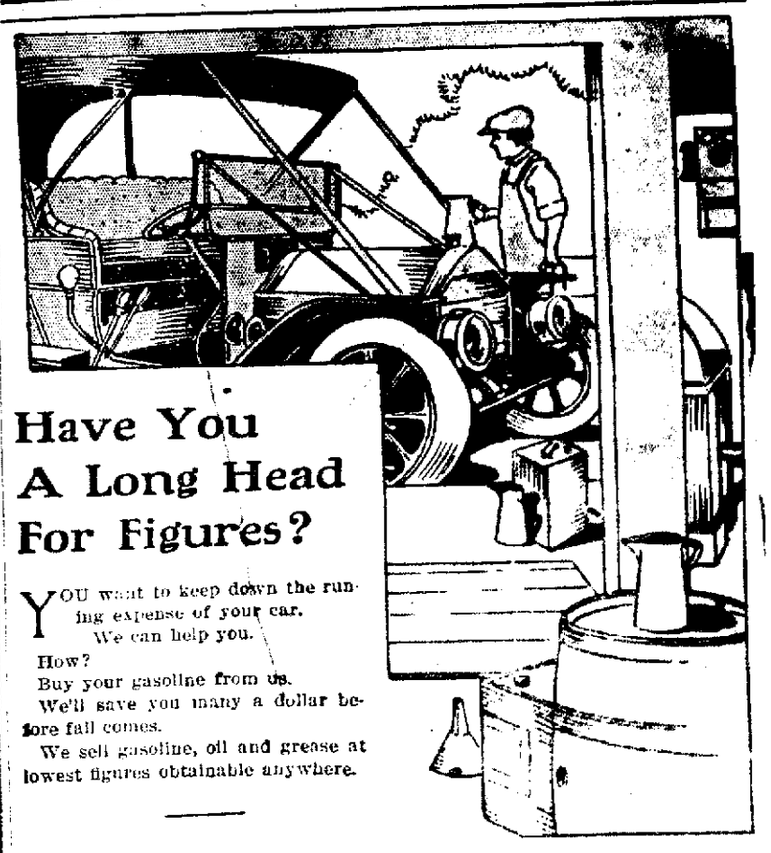

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LIEGE ATTACK BY GERMANS CONTINUE

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freely the courage and tenacity of the Belgian troops. The prisoners were treated with consideration, and on the way to Brussels were supplied at the stations with beer and bread.

Trains filled with wounded and fugitive noncombatants arrived here this morning from Liege and neighboring towns. The military trains with prisoners on board, were sent from Liege to Antwerp.

The Belgian troops appeared to be in the best of spirits when the train left Liege. They declared that if there had not been ten Germans to one Belgian, not one German would have got through their lines. Though in good order the Belgians were much exhausted having fought for fifty hours without rest.

Some wounded Belgians, eye witnesses of the fighting, say they saw Germans mowed down by hundreds in front of the trenches and entrenchments by the gun and rifle fire of the Belgians, but that they were replaced by others who crawled forward like weasels. In certain places in the fighting zone, the ground was covered with dead, the burial of which, it was said, would take at least a week.

Defender's Astonishing Valor.

The astonishing valor of the defenders of Liege has inspired the whole of Belgium with a quickened determination to fight to the last ditch to prevent a violation of the rights of the fatherland. The people are helping to the utmost, opening their houses as hospitals. Many of the large stores are filled with beds and red crosses are painted on the doors.

French Troops to the Rescue.

Two columns of French troops have reached Belgium and Luxemburg. The advance guards drove in the German outposts near the frontier.

British Troops Disembarking.

Paris, Aug. 8—The French war ministry this morning stated that a large body of British troops are disembarking on the north coast of France and are expected to cooperate with the French in driving the Germans from that part of France.

Is Kiel Canal Blocked?

Copenhagen, Aug. 8.—Fourteen warships have passed northward through the great belt leading from Kiel bay to Cattiega.

It is believed that the Kiel canal is blockaded, otherwise the fleet would have utilized it in its voyage.

Montenegro Declares War.

Cettinje, Montenegro, Aug. 8.—The Montenegran parliament today declared war against Austria and will join that countries opponents.

German Ships Seized.

Antwerp, Ang. 8.—The Belgian government has seized 34 German steamers and two sailing ships here.

More Protests from Germans.

Washington, Aug. 8. — Counsellor Heinmausen, of the German embassy, protests against the state department of the United States for refusing to permit sailing ships carrying reservists to Germany.

Secretary Bryan also announced: "The German charge" has informed me he feels sure the detention of the Americans is not due to an order forbidding them to leave, but due to the government's utilizing all transportation during the mobilization."

Seven War Declarations.

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Eight Declarations in Ten Days.

Eight declarations of war in ten days. This is the record of Europe since July 28. The declarations in the general European war have been as follows:

July 28—Austria declared war on Servia.

Aug. 1—Germany declared war on Russia.

Aug. 4—Germany declared war on Belgium.

Aug. 4—Germany declared war on France.

Aug. 4—Germany and England declared war on each other.

Aug. 6—Austria declared war on Russia.

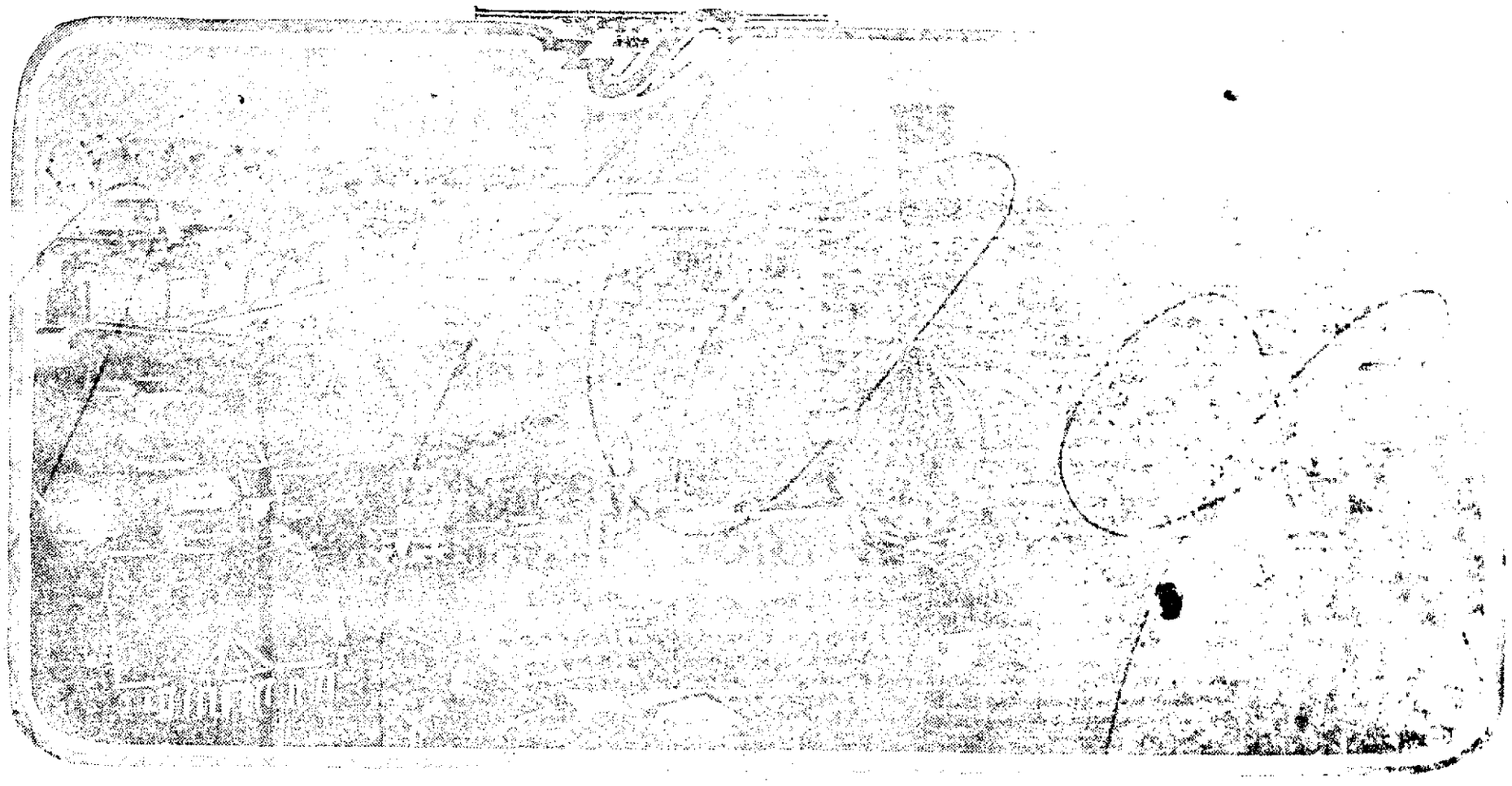
Aug. 7—Italy declared war on Germany.

Chicken and Biscuit.

On Wednesday, August 12, a chicken and biscuit supper will be served in new Allen A. M. E. church basement, from 5 to 7 o'clock. Price, 35 cents. The menu includes stewed chicken, biscuit, creamed potatoes, string beans, lettuce and tomato salad, coffee. Ice cream and cake extra.

Many Foreigners Naturalized

During the last week 100 foreigners have taken out naturalization papers at the prothontory's office. Forty of these were taken out today. Since the breaking out of war in Europe aliens all over the country are taking means to become American citizens.



STUBBORN BELGIAN DEFENSE OF LIEGE EARNS WORLD'S APPLAUSE.

Liege as seen from the old fort of La Chartreuse.

With valor seldom equalled, never surpassed, a comparatively small force of Belgian patriots is holding the city of Liege against an invading army of 200,000 Germans under the command of the Crown Prince. While one part of the Belgian army is holding Liege against the invaders, another is digging trenches and throwing up breast works behind the city. When the German artillery forces the evacuation of Liege the invaders will meet an equally stubborn defense just back of the city.

$206,000,000 ON ROADS IN 1913

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nual expenditure for roads is more than two and a half times as great as it was nine year ago.

The fact that the states for 1914 have appropriated nearly $43,000,000, or an increase of more than $4,000,000, over the 1913 appropriation, and an increase of nearly $12,000,000 over the 1912 state appropriation, indicates an increased interest in the state development of good roads. The mileage of roads built with the aid of state funds to the close of 1913 aggregated nearly 21,000 miles, only about 2,000 miles less than the famous national road system of France.

It is interesting to note that, as the table shows, there are now but nine states that set aside no state fund for road building, and there are only seven states which now have no state highway law.

The table shows that automobile owners paid in licenses and fees in 1913, $7,820,895, nearly all of which was applied to road work. This sum is about one-thirtieth of the total state and local eepndeiture for roads.

Pennsylvania's figures ars as follow:

Total construction, maintenance and admininstration to Jan. 1, 1914: $20,710,8839.

Total in 1913, $4,606,232.

AUSTRIAN SHELLS CONTINUE TO FALL

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building in the hope that the neutral flag would be respected by the Austrians.

Serb Guns Silence Artillery.

Belgrade, via London, Aug. 8—The Sixth regiment of Austrian artillery opened fire on the Servians at noon yesterday near Obrenovatz, on the river Save, to the west of Belgrade. The Servian guns quickly silenced the Austrians, who abandoned two damaged guns.

Bulgarians Joining Austrians.

Athers, via London, Aug. 8—A telegram from Nish, Servia, states that bands of Bulgarian volunteers are forming along the southwest frontier to replace the Austrian troops which have been withdrawn to the Russian line.

Trinity M. E.

Rev. George W. Leidey, a former pastor of Trinity M. E. church, now assistant pastor of Pine street church, Williamsport, will preach in Trinity Sunday morning.

Rev. Mr. Leidy is the guest of Hon. Frank G. Harris and will remain in Clearfield over Sunday.

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BIG LOAF

Russia Calls 6,000,000 to Arms to Meet Germans

(By International News Service.)

St. Petersburg, Aug. 8.—Virtually the whole population of Russia capable of bearing arms has been called to the colors. This make a total of more than 6,000,000. Mobilization is virtually completed.

All automobiles and bicycles have been commandeered by the war department, and all race horses have been appropriated.

The Austro-Hungarian ambassador to Russia, accompanied by his staff and eighty Austrian subjects, left yesterday morning. They are proceeding to Vienna, by way of Finland and Sweden.

News from the front is confined to brief notes of unimportant skirmishing by cavalry scouting parties on the frontier.

The belief is growing here that the Germans plan is to put her entire force across the western frontier of the country. In that case Russia does not propose to delay her attack to suit the German program.

Russian Navy Bottled Up.

Stockholm, via London, Aug. 8.—A Finn is sea captain who has arrived here, reports that the Russian navy is bottled up at Helsingfors, while Reval and Libau have been taken by the Germans after a furious battle and are blockaded. The report is not credited by the best informed here.

In the Neighborhood.

Hampton—Dinwiddow told me his family is very old. They were one of the first to come across.

Rhodes.—The grocer told me yesterday that now they are the last to come across.—Judge.

"So you went in search of a sylvan spot of some description?"

"Yes."

"Did you find one?"

"No. I went into the country—but I never heard so many pianos and phonographs and automobiles in my life."—Washington Star.

WILL LIGHT TREASURE SHIP UP LIKE CONEY ISLAND.

Captain Becker of the Tennessee and Assistant Secretary of War Breckenridge, photographed on the deck of the Tennessee just before she sailed.

New York, Aug. 8.—"I'll light her up like Coney Island." This was Captain Davis' reply to a question put to him just before the cruiser Tennessee, carrying $8,000,000 in gold, for Americans stranded in European countries, departed for foreign countries. The captain said he would not sail with the lights of his ship out.

Fatally Hurt at Medix Run.

Charles Arndt, of Medix Run, an engineer employed at the Gleason tannery, was run over Thursday morning and injured so severely that he died in the Lock Haven hospital yesterday morning.

Married in Cumberland.

George W. Crain, of Osceola, and Miss Ethel Gilbert, of Houtzdale, were married in Cumberland, Md., on Wednesday of this week. The young people will have the best wishes of their many friends.

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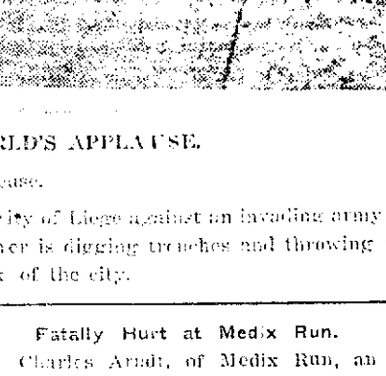
Good Morning! Was Your Coffee Good This Morning?



Perhaps the Coffee was all right but was not properly ground. It makes a lot of difference how it is prepared. That's why we have installed a new model HOBART ELECTRIC COFFEE MILL to give our trade better service. We could not buy better Coffees but we found a way to make a big improvement in the grinding. This new mill will Granulate just as fine or coarse as anybody may want it. And it will PULVERIZE just right for a Drip Pot. And it is a pleasure for our clerks to give you just what you want—while you wait, if you desire.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Building Two Fire Company Houses

Sealed Proposals will be received by the Town Council of Clearfield Borough, until 8:00 o'clock, P. M. Wednesday, August 19th, 1914, for the erection of **A Fire Company House On Daisy Street, Fourth Ward,** and **A Fire Company House On Witmer Street, Second Ward.**

Plans, form of Specifications, Proposal Sheets, etc., can be seen and obtained at the Office of the Borough Engineer, Kratzer Building.

Proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for $50.00 as a gurantee of good faith. Checks will be returned upon the award of a contract, or the rejection of a proposal.

Bidder to whom award of contract is made will be required to execute a corporate bond for the satisfactory completion of the work, in a sum equal to the amount of the bid.

The Council Reserves The Right To Reject Any Or All Bids.

By order of the Council,
Frederick B. Kerr,
President.

Attest:—
J. D. Connelly, Secretary.
Dated August 6th, 1914.

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